

Arguing Violation Secrecy

Press Wants OPS Violators' Names Even When Found Not Willfully Wrong

WASHINGTON (AP)—Ellis Arnall, the new price boss, soon will have to rule on a knotty public information policy for his agency.

It's this: Should the Office of Price Stabilization (OPS) publish the names of violators when the agency decides the violation was not willful or the result of negligence?

OPS policy as it now stands says no — the name should not be published; the publicity would be unfair if the violation was of innocent nature.

Newspaper editors heading committees on freedom of information say yes — the name should be published; penalties should not be inflicted in secrecy and the public is entitled to know who the violators are.

OPS policy clearly calls for publication of names when: (1) Any court action is taken against a firm or an individual for ceiling price violations; and (2) when the violator makes a settlement and the amount of the overcharge. OPS regards these in the nature of fines or penalties.

But, the name is withheld when the violator pays only the exact amount of the overcharge. Such repayments are made to the purchasers if they can be found; otherwise to the government.

OPS delegates to its office of enforcement the power to decide whether there was willfulness — in effect whether the name or names shall be published.

Both the OPS policy of non-publication and the delegation of authority to enforcement agencies have drawn the fire of spokesmen for the American Society of Newspaper Editors (ASNE) and the Associated Press Managing Editors Association (APME).

Urging OPS to change its policy and permit publication of the violators' names, these editors have voiced protests against:

1. Draping a cloak of secrecy around the violators as opposed to the principle that citizens accused by the state must be openly and publicly tried.

2. Making enforcement agents "accusers, judge and jury" in deciding the degree of willfulness and whether the names shall be published.

3. Creating a precedent that "may infect other agencies of government under circumstances not equally safeguarded."

Speaking for the ASNE committee on freedom of information, James Pope, executive editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal and Times, wrote OPS that its policy is "a bad and dangerous system."

He added: "We are convinced it is far safer from legitimate responsibility for a government agency to decide what news should be withheld. You are deciding what the people should know."

"The growing tendency in Washington for executives to make unilateral judgments on what is 'public interest' is the object of great concern by the press and the country."

Pope said that if the OPS practice were extended to "all the offenses against regulations and against law, the basic principle of open charges and open hearings would be forever lost."

Youth Rally Opens Methodist Mission On Saturday Night

Dr. Ralph E. Hicks, pastor of the First Methodist church of Kirksville, will be the featured speaker at the Methodist Youth rally at 7:45 Saturday night at Epworth Methodist church.

The rally starts the eight-day campaign of the United Evangelical Mission in the Southwest Missouri Conference.

Miss LaDonna Olsen of Bethel church and the president of the M. Y. F. in the Sedalia district, will preside at the Sedalia rally.

Howard Turner's Wife Giving Party for His 6th Birthday

It is an event for Howard Turner, Jr., 1099 East Sixth, to have a birthday anniversary and this is the day to celebrate.

Born in Sedalia 24 years ago on Feb. 29, this is the sixth time in his life that he really had a birthday and the first time he has had an opportunity to celebrate in Sedalia.

When he was three years old his family moved to Oklahoma and in July, 1948, they moved back to Sedalia and they reside on route 5. Of course he had a birthday in 1948, but he was still living in Oklahoma at that time.

Since he has had a birthday day he has acquired a wife. He was married to Mary Louise Higgins of this city, on Sept. 22, 1950, and this is the first time she has had an opportunity to give him a birthday dinner. She thought she was being pretty clever in getting up a little surprise party on him, but either she didn't do the job well enough or Howard just figured that if a fellow only had a birthday anniversary every four years he certainly was entitled to a little something



NO SIGNS OF SPRING HERE—One of the worst storms to hit New England virtually brought traffic to a standstill. Boston with six inches of snow, was less seriously hit, but scenes like this appeared all over the city. Up to 20 inches of snow fell in some parts of New England. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Ike Has Shaky, Slim Margin Over Taft in N. H. Primary

CONCORD, N. H. (AP)—A county-by-county newspaper estimate of popular sentiment in New Hampshire indicated today that Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower is holding a narrow, and possibly a shaky, margin over Sen. Robert A. Taft in the battle for the Republican votes in the state's presidential primary election, March 11.

The editors of eight Associated Press member newspapers have been conducting a continuing survey, each in his immediate area. As of today, they gave these appraisals—

Eisenhower appears to have a 55-45 percentage edge over Taft in communities covered by the Nashua Telegraph, the Dover Democrat and the Portsmouth Herald.

The editors of the Concord Monitor estimated a 52-48 lead for Eisenhower in Merrimack County.

Political observers on the Claremont Eagle, the Keene Sentinel, and the Manchester Union-Leader said sentiment in their areas appeared to be evenly divided, with a possible small edge to Eisenhower.

The Laconia Citizen, in Belknap County, reported that soundings brought inconclusive results and that popular opinion has not crystallized toward either candidate.

The newspapers, together with two weeklies which participated in the grass roots poll, cover all 10 counties in the state.

On the Democratic side, the same editors agreed that the party machine, if it is thrown into high gear, will easily crush a budding gear of sentiment for Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee, and give President Truman a spanking majority of popular votes and convention delegates.

These editors also agreed that: 1. Taft has made long gains during the past few weeks after a late start in organizing.

2. The primary outcome may be decided by the effect of Taft's appearances here next week.

3. A heavy snowfall reducing "back country" attendance at the town meetings on primary election day could seriously hurt Taft's chances.

These are the major variables in the situation, and the editors said they can radically alter the pattern of sentiment as it stands today. As the first voting test of popular sentiment in the country, New Hampshire's primary holds special significance for both political parties and for both observers expected it to have a direct bearing on the pre-convention Taft and Eisenhower strategy.

New Hampshire voters will register preference of two types in the primary.

1. They will vote for delegates running as favorably to Taft, Eisenhower and Gen. Douglas MacArthur as Republicans; and for Truman, Kefauver and ex-Postmaster General James Farley on the Democratic side.

2. At the same time—and for the first time in a New Hampshire primary—they will vote directly for the presidential candidates. This is the preferential vote, better known here as the "popularity contest."

The result is not binding on delegates at the convention. Some editors estimated that the delegate score might run as high as 12-to-2 for Eisenhower. Others, however, expressed the opinion

that four and possibly five Taft delegates will be elected.

Far more important in the opinion of all the editors, is the "popularity contest," where votes will be cast directly for the presidential candidates.

Editors were virtually unanimous in saying MacArthur has great popularity in New Hampshire.

As to the Democrats, the editors said surveys showed that the party organization can easily deliver enough votes to give Truman at least a 60-40 edge over Kefauver in the popularity contest. They do not expect any Kefauver delegates to win.

Schools Get \$4 Millions More In '52

Mo. School Funds To New Record For Current Year

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 29 (AP)—Missouri public schools will get over \$4,000,000 more from state revenue this year than was received during the 1950-51 school year.

The school funds—one-third of the general tax revenue received by the state—will total a record \$42,696,699 when the third and final appropriation of the school total last year was \$38,460,958 to which an additional \$2,500,000 was added from the past year's reserve fund by special legislative action.

So this year's total will be nearly \$2,000,000 more from general revenue than the schools got last year from both general revenue and the extra appropriation. The figures were released today by Elmer L. Pigg, state comptroller.

The March 15 portion for the schools will amount to \$8,313,301 compared with \$10,562,205 last March. Last December the apportionment was \$22,953,800—considerably up from the previous December's \$15,928,901. The August, 1951, total was \$11,439,597, only slightly less than the \$11,000,936,769 of August, 1950.

While school money from the state's general revenue is increasing, a bill is pending in the legislature to appropriate additional reserve funds for school use. The Senate this week voted \$5,000,000 but the House had previously approved \$14,000,000. A compromise somewhere between the two figures probably will be worked out next week.

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Working To Check Oil Strike

US Conciliator Seeks Compromise To Avert Walkout Set for March 9

WASHINGTON (AP)—Federal Conciliator Cyrus S. Ching today promised "intensified" efforts to produce a compromise and head off the nationwide oil strike now set for March 9.

Ching won a week's postponement last night from a coalition representing the CIO oil workers and a score of AFL and Independent unions.

He said a strike would have an "immediate" effect on millions of auto drivers, would hamper or stop production at every big refinery in the country and would strike a blow at the defense program, now running at full speed.

A strike would affect oil fields, pipeline transportation and refineries. Industry sources said the impact on the pipe lines would depend on which refining plants were closed and how long the strike lasted.

They said, involved three factors: (1) The pipe lines cannot operate without crude oil or its products; (2) The flow must stop when storage facilities at idle refineries become filled and (3) A closed refinery would not supply refined products once its tanks were depleted.

The unions took two days to accept Ching's request for a week's postponement. In agreeing, they warned that oil companies "must accept the status quo" and not use the week for "hiring strike-breakers or preparing for their maintenance within struck plants."

Union leaders O. A. Knight, J. J. McKenna and O. V. Oliver signed a joint statement to that effect for the CIO, the Independent and AFL unions respectively.

A CIO oil workers union spokesman said in Tulsa, Okla., last night that "some opposition" had developed at a mass meeting there to the strike postponement.

Knight told reporters "one or two" refining plants already have been equipped with stocks of food. He declined to name the plants or the companies involved.

The negotiations are highly complicated because almost all bargaining is done on a plant by plant basis.

Sinclair Oil Corp., is said to be the only large company which bargains on a company-wide basis — that is one company negotiator may speak for the management of most plants. The CIO alone reportedly has some 350 separate work agreements with companies in 31 states representing about 110,000 men.

Another complicating factor is the large number of unions involved — at least 22, union sources say.

The unions are demanding a 25 cents an hour wage hike plus differentials of six and 12 cents for the evening and midnight shifts.

The highest company offer is reported to be 10 cents — about the amount the CIO oil workers may receive under the cost-of-living wage formula.

Most oil workers have received all of the 10 per cent catch-up wage boosts allowed by the Wage Stabilization Board up to January, 1951. That leaves cost-of-living increases of 4.6 per cent from then until now.

Since the average wage in the industry is now about \$2.10, the cost-of-living increase would provide about 10 cents.

The CIO union claims some 80,000 as dues-paying members. No estimates were available of AFL and Independent unions but the coalition as a whole claims to represent 275,000 workers.

Should conciliation efforts fail, it was felt the White House might be asked by mobilization and defense officials to send the dispute to the Wage Stabilization Board for a recommended settlement. That was done in the crucial steel strike and the United Steelworkers Union (CIO) have twice postponed threatened walkouts to give the board time to recommend a solution.

TRENTON, N. J. (AP)—Was the Lindbergh baby kidnapping solved by the conviction and execution of Bruno Richard Hauptmann?

There is no new evidence today—20 years after the kidnapping—on March 1, 1932—to alter the verdict that Hauptmann alone kidnapped the infant Charles A. Lindbergh Jr. and killed him.

Time has not changed the opinion of David T. Wilentz, New Jersey's chief prosecutor, who told the jury that "all the evidence leads only to Hauptmann."

Nor have the passing years changed the views of former Gov. Harold G. Hoffman that Hauptmann's execution left many riddles unsolved.

"I believe that the crime was committed by more than one person. I believe it would have been difficult to execute that crime without the assistance of someone who was inside either the Lindbergh or the Morris household. I believe that the police, once Hauptmann was being apprehended, and the 'lone wolf' pattern of prosecution was decided upon, not only failed to make, but made every effort to hinder further investigation that might have brought others to the bar of justice."

Hoffman, now director of the state division of employment security, made the statement when asked if his views today differed from those he once held. His intervention in the case as governor, including a secret visit to Hauptmann in the death house, stirred wide controversy.

February Leaves Like Penguin: March In Like Duck

February is leaving like a penguin and March undoubtedly will come in like a duck. It's snowing, isn't it? And penguins like snow, don't they? So the shortest month of the year is leaving like a penguin.

Now for March, which makes its debut late tonight. Snow melts, doesn't it? And melted snow is water, isn't it? Ducks like water, don't they? So March comes in like a duck.

The traditional lion and lamb are sleeping.

Lone Parent May Get New Tax Exemption

Widows, Widowers May Be Allowed 'Sitter' Expense

WASHINGTON (AP)—Widows and widowers who are trying to run a home, look after junior and earn a living too, may eventually get an income tax break.

Rep. Edna Kelly (D-NY) is sponsoring a bill to allow widows and widowers to deduct from their income tax, within limitations, the amount they must pay to have their children cared for at home while they work.

Rep. Kelly said today she is urging Chairman Doughton (D-NC) of the House Ways and Means Committee to give the bill an early hearing.

The tax issue, which has the earmark of becoming a lively one, was raised recently by District Judge Sarah T. Hughes of Dallas, Tex., president of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs.

Judge Hughes says working women are "good and mad" because they cannot deduct from their income tax money spent to run their households while they are earning and helping to earn a living for their children.

The judge pointed out the law allows deductions for expenses necessary to earning an income — business entertaining, travel expenses, dues for membership in professional organizations and so on.

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Thus if a widow made \$3,200 adjusted gross income, and paid out \$600 for someone to care for her children, she could deduct only \$400. If she made \$3,600 she could deduct nothing.

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French Premier Resigns

He Loses Vote To Boost Taxes For Rearmament Costs and Quits

PARIS (AP)—French Premier Edgar Faure lost a pre-dawn vote today on his bill to hike taxes 15 per cent to pay rearmament costs and promptly resigned.

President Vincent Auriol plunged into the tangled tangle of French politics in search of a new Premier who can dig up the money to pay France's share of rising Atlantic defense costs.

The National Assembly turned down, 309 to 283, Faure's tax plan after the Premier rejected an alternative plan for a one per cent sales tax.

He had formed his Cabinet on Jan. 20—only 40 days ago. He lost out on the second of 20 votes of confidence he had put before the Assembly.

Right wingers, led by the followers of Gen. Charles de Gaulle and including 28 members of Faure's own Radical Socialist party, tumbled the Premier and got first chance to set up a new government.

A Rightist coalition might agree on a new sales tax but would find the harness troublesome on other issues. The Gaullists, for example, strongly oppose the European army plan unless the nations in it federate politically first.

Faure had just returned from the Lisbon meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization which endorsed the European army plan and where the United States promised France additional aid of 300 million dollars.

But Faure announced France would have to raise 55 billion francs (about 137 million dollars) to pay her part of increased defense costs.

Proposed income tax hikes were the core of objections to the tax bill.

A spokesman for Auriol, aware of the urgency of finding a new government, said the President would spend all day seeing political leaders and expected to wind up his conferences by evening.

That did not necessarily mean he would find a man willing to take on the premiership. Any new Premier would have to work out a program that would win Assembly approval before he could take office.

The Gaullists consider they have a right to leadership because they control the biggest bloc of deputies in the Assembly.

But their bloc is less than 20 per cent of the total assemblymen and a government requires steady support of 50 per cent to stay in office.

Faure's 40-day term was shorter than usual even in this country of unstable cabinets, and the country's economic and financial situation has been nosediving.

In an editorial written before the vote was taken, the Independent Socialist paper Combat said: "It matters little whether the increased taxes asked by Faure are voted or not. Tomorrow, like today, the threat will persist. Nothing will be solved. Prices will continue to rise, the franc continue to lose its value, the budget deficit will grow, wages will continue their breathless chase of prices and the Indochinese war will continue to need more blood money."

French retail prices have risen 39 per cent in the past 18 months. The franc is worth only 473 to the dollar, although its official rate is 350. The Assembly has just voted an "escalator clause" to raise wages every time prices climb another 10 per cent. And the war news from Indochina is bad.

Among the critical situations which Combat's discouraged commentary did not mention:

France is almost out of foreign exchange and is being forced to make drastic import cuts.

The government has nearly reached the legal limit on what it can borrow from the Bank of France and may have to set printing presses rolling to produce more money.

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nesday for all, but the workers
will be asked to be served first.

FIRST BAPTIST, Sixth and La-
mine, Thomas W. Croxton, pastor.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m. W. L.
Reed, general superintendent.
Worship 10:45 a. m. Pastor's sub-
ject, "On Being Loyal." Anthem,
"Consider and Hear Me" by Sa-
lathiel. Mrs. A. R. Beach, director
of music; Mrs. Duane Ewing, or-
ganist. Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Carl Yessen, director. Worship 7:45
p. m. Pastor's subject, "The Mad-
ness of Sin." Anthem, "How Sweet
the Name" by Martin.

FIRST BAPTIST CHAPEL, 16th
and Hancock, Donald Momborg,
pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Miss Ann Fletcher, superintend-
ent. Morning 10:30 a. m. Sermon
by pastor. Training Union 6:30 p.
m. Everett Preuit, director. Wor-
ship 7:30 p. m. Sermon by pastor.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN (Mis-
souri Synod) Broadway and Mas-
sachusetts, Rev. Walter F. Strick-
ert, pastor; Miss Mildred Brack-
man, organist; William Bergmann,
Sunday school superintendent.
Sunday school and Bible classes
9:15 a. m. Divine services 8 and
10:30 a. m. The pastor will preach
on the subject, "Ambassadors for
Christ." The second mid-week
Lenten service will be conducted
next Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST,
1019 East Fifth, Rev. Walter P.
Arnold, pastor. Sunday school
9:30 a. m. Clyde L. Waters, super-
intendent. Worship 10:30 a. m.
Pastor's theme, "Christ Speaks to
the Church." Training Union 6:15
p. m. Doris Stott, director; Wor-
ship 7:30 p. m. Singing 9:15
p. m. Monday 7:30 p. m. deacon's
meeting; 7:30 p. m. Business Wo-
men's Circle. Wednesday 7:30
p. m. church business meeting.
Thursday W. M. S. circle day.
Sunday school visitation 6:30 p. m.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST,
Fifth and Osage, Lee F. Soxman,
minister; K. P. McCrary, church
school superintendent. Sunday
school 9:30 a. m. Worship 10:30 a.
m. Anthem, "Sing Unto God."
Sermon by Rev. W. J. Wilcox of
Chillicothe. We have a nursery for
small children. Visitation com-
mittee meeting at 2:30. Youth Fel-
lowship 6:30 p. m. Service 7:30 p. m.
Anthem, "I Love Thee, My Savior"
(Clark), solo by Mrs. Robert Seel-
er and sermon by Rev. W. J. Wil-
cox. Special services each
night, Monday through Friday at
7:30 with the Rev. Wilcox
preaching and with musical fea-
tures at each service.

**TRINITY EVANGELICAL
LUTHERAN** (United Lutheran
National Lutheran Council) Tenth
and Osage, Rev. C. Arthur Free-
berg, pastor; Mrs. Elmer England,
organist; Leonard England, choir
director. Raymond L. Finley, Sun-
day school superintendent. Sunday
school 8:30 p. m. with classes for
adults. Worship 10:45 a. m. Pa-
stor's topic, "The Cross and the
World." Lenten mid-week worship
Wednesday, March 5, 8 p. m. Pa-
stor's topic, "Our Forgiving Lord."

CALVARY EPISCOPAL, Broad-
way and Ohio, Holy Communion
8 a. m. Church school 9:30 a. m.
Holy Communion 11 a. m. Young
People's Service League 6:30 p. m.
Lenten service Wednesday, March
5 at 8 p. m.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN,
Broadway and Kentucky, Rev. D.
Warren Neal, pastor. Sunday
school 9:30 a. m. D. W. Heckart,
superintendent. Worship service

10:45 a. m. Sermon, "Cornerstones
for Tomorrow." Nursery for
babies and preschool children.
Mrs. Clyde Williams, organist;
Mrs. H. C. Johnson, choir director.
Sunday 5:30 p. m. Boy Scout Troop
meeting Monday 7:30 p. m.
Lenten supper and service Wed-
nesday 6:30 p. m. Women's As-
sociation luncheon and program
Thursday 12:30 p. m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST,
11th and Lafayette, Sabbath school
9:45 a. m. Worship 11 a. m.

FREE METHODIST, 13th and
Marvin, J. A. Himes pastor. Sun-
day school 9:45 a. m. Worship
10:45 a. m. Youth service 7 p. m.
Worship 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting
Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

ST. PATRICK'S, Fourth and
Washington, Father J. T. Nolan,
pastor. Sunday masses 8, 8 and 10
a. m. Holy Day masses 6, 7:30 and
9 a. m. Novena services Sunday
7:30 p. m.

SACRED HEART, Third and
Moniteau, Father Andrew J.
Brunick, pastor. Sunday masses,
8, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a. m.
Weekdays, 7:00 and 8:15 a. m. Holy
days of obligation, 6:00, 7:30 and
9:00 a. m. Sunday evening service
7:30 p. m.

CALVARY BAPTIST, H. L.
Alley, pastor. The month of March
is Loyalty Month. Youth will
"march to church" next Sunday.
Bible school 9:30 a. m. B. B.
Bradley, superintendent. Worship
10:45 a. m. Pastor's subject, "The
Price of Popularity." Special
music by Betty Mullins and Jack
Crawford. Training Union 6:15
p. m. Mrs. E. H. Schumaker,
director. Evangelistic service 7:30
p. m. Pastor's subject, "A Hard
Way." Anne Armstrong Week
will be observed in our church
this week. Special meetings will
be held Monday 2 p. m. at the
home of Mrs. E. E. Crawford, 902
West 19th, Mrs. H. L. Alley lead-
er and Friday 7:30 p. m. at the
church with Mrs. Ruth Langston
in charge. Tuesday evening the
church will hold a man and boy
banquet. The R. A. boys and their
counselors will be guests and Rev.
Leon Riddle, state R. A. secretary
will speak.

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL-
CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN** Fed-
erated, Sixth and Osage, Rev. Glen
Lindley, minister. Sunday school
9:30 a. m. Mrs. W. C. Housel,
superintendent. Worship 10:30 a.
m. Sermon theme, "Faith and
Victory." Music under direction of
Mrs. Mabel DeWitt, organist, will
include a solo, "Come Ye Blessed."
Scott, by Mrs. T. E. Gasperson.
Youth Fellowship groups will
meet at the Immanuel Evangelical
and Reformed church at 5 p. m.
Sunday. Rev. Stephen M. Pronko
of Brentwood Congregational
church, St. Louis, will address the
church membership at a family
dinner meeting to be held at 6:30
Tuesday evening of the church.

FIRST CHRISTIAN, Seventh
and Massachusetts, Rev. David M.
Bryan, minister; Miss Leta Brad-
nev, minister of education; Virgil
Herrick, Sunday school superin-
tendent; Mrs. H. O. Forker, or-
ganist; Edward L. Brown, choir
director. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Worship 10:40 a. m. Chi Rho Fel-
lowship 4 p. m. C. Y. F. 5:30 p. m.
Sermon: "Why Christians Observe
Lent." Official board meeting at
2 p. m. Sunday. Sunday School
Workers' Conference 7:30 p. m.
Monday, Lenten Bible study class
7:30 p. m. Tuesday, Christian
Women's Fellowship 2 p. m.
Thursday, Soloist, Mrs. Jack
Herndon.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, 14th and
Stewart, Some service 10:30 a. m.
Bible study 11 a. m. Communion
11:45 a. m.

EPWORTH METHODIST,
Broadway and Engineer, Ralph
Hurt, minister. Saturday 7:45 p.
m. Sedalia District Youth Rally
opening the United Evangelistic
campaign. The Rev. Ralph Hicks,
pastor of First Methodist church,
Kirkville will be the speaker.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Herman
Kettle, general superintendent.
Worship 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Our guest pastor, Mr. Hicks, will
be the speaker at each of these
services. Mrs. Berthouex, organist.
Youth Fellowship, both senior and
junior at 6:30 p. m. Fast evening,
Monday through Friday, Mr.
Hicks will preach at 7:30.

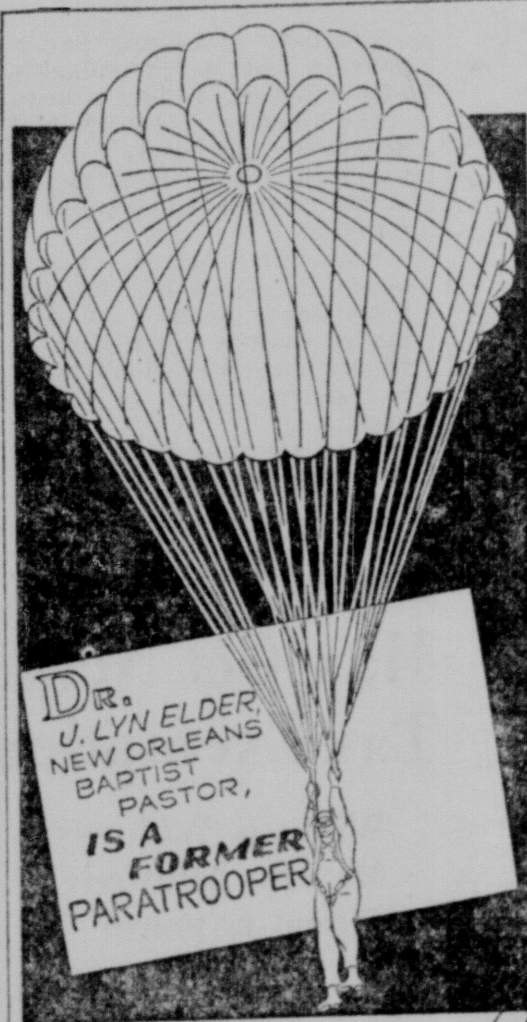
PROVIDENCE BAPTIST, Rev.
W. L. Fuqua, pastor. Roy Potter,
Sunday school superintendent.
Sunday school 10 a. m. Worship
service second and fourth Sunday.
Mid-week service Friday 1:45 p.
m. Ordination service Sunday,
March 2, 2:30 p. m.

OPEN BIBLE, 701 East Fifth,
R. R. Parker, pastor. Revival
closes Sunday, Friday 7:45 p. m.
Evangelist Cloud's topic will be
"Evangelists Straddlers." Saturday 7:45
p. m. topic, "Decision Spells Des-
tiny." Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Wil-
liam Hieronymus, superintendent.
Worship 10:45 a. m. Evangelist
Cloud will speak on, "The World's
Greatest Miracle." Overcomers

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RELIGIOUS REMARKABLES - - - By Scheel

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CATHOLIC EMPLOYEES
AT A ROCHESTER, N.Y.,
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RECITE THE ROSARY
TOGETHER
DURING THEIR
LUNCH HOUR
EACH DAY.

Laymen Push Religious Principles In Occupations

A major effort is under way to get Protestant laymen to bring religious principles to bear on their occupations.

Some 325 laymen of 34 denominations held a four-day meet-
ing in Buffalo, N.Y., which featured problems relating to the
Christian and His Daily Work. The meeting, known as the North
American Lay Conference, was sponsored by the National Council
of Churches in this country and the Canadian Council of
Churches. It sought to stimulate Christian lay activity right down
to the grassroots.

Until now, the emphasis in the Protestant laymen's move-
ment has largely been upon getting laymen to play a more
prominent role in church work. With the Buffalo meeting, im-
petus has been given to stressing religion in the daily lives of
every individual, regardless of his business or profession.

During the Buffalo meeting, the laymen heard representa-
tives of business and industry, labor, agriculture, government
and the professions plead for more "practicing Christians" in
places of public trust and in every occupation.

William J. Grede of Milwaukee, president of the National
Association of Manufacturers, stressed that individual Christ-
ian convictions must be exercised every day, not only on Sun-
day. The former president of the Pennsylvania local of the CIO
United Steelworkers outlined the opportunities for the practice
of Christian ethics in the labor movement—both by employers
and employees.

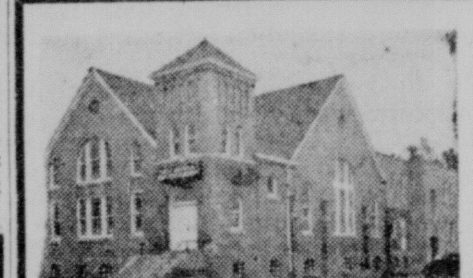
Attorney Wilbur La Roe, Jr., of Washington, D.C., former
moderator of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. called upon
Protestants to satisfy "a real hunger for religion in labor."
Joseph W. Fichter, former agricultural consultant to the di-
rector of price stabilization, warned the Christian farmer that
he must choose between a philosophy of mere survival of the
fittest or the Christian way of life.

At the close of the conference, the laymen issued a joint
statement which is expected to prompt thousands of lay men
and women to make religion a "seven-day-a-week" concern.
The message declared that the conference provided "new
vision of our daily work." It expressed concern that laymen
generally have been working "too much for ourselves and not
enough for God." It urged men and women to use their Chris-
tian talents in their jobs and emphasized the importance of di-
ligence and integrity in every occupation.

6:45 p. m. Mrs. Cloud in charge.
Closing service of revival with
Evangelist and Mrs. Val Cloud
7:45 p. m. Special music at each
service. Bible study Wednesday
7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Friday
7:45 p. m.

THE SALVATION ARMY, 120
East Fifth, Sr. Major and Mrs. O.
C. Aaserude, commanding offi-
cers. Sunday school 10 a. m. Hol-
liness meeting 11 a. m. Y. P. Legion
meeting 7:45 p. m. Special evan-
gelistic service 7:45 p. m. The Hol-
liness meeting and the Sunday night
meetings will be conducted by
Major and Mrs. Dan Wright, of
Rockford, Ill., who are having
special meetings each night clos-
ing on March 9. Mrs. Major Wright
is featured as the soloist at each
service. She also plays the piano
accompaniment.

CHURCH OF GOD, Engineer
and Saline, Rev. and Mrs. J. E.
Cox, pastors. Sunday school 9:45 a.
m. Robert Goff, superintendent.
Worship 11 a. m. Sermon by the
pastor. Children's church 7:30 p.
m. Mrs. Cox, teacher. Evening
evangelistic service at 8. Wednes-
day "Hands Across the Caribbean"
motion picture of the Church of
God mission work presented by
Rev. Glyndon Logsdon, overseer
of Missouri and Rev. Dowdy, over-
seer Kansas, 8 p. m. Y. P. E. Fri-
day 8 p. m. Lillie Mae Lindley,
instructor.



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1019 East Fifth Street
Walter P. Arnold—pastor

MARCH—CHURCH LOYALTY MONTH

We are asking each Member to do these things:

1. Read your Bible and Pray daily
2. Attend Sunday School at 9:30 A.M. Sunday
3. Attend Worship Service at 10:30 A.M. Sunday
4. Attend Training Union at 6:15 P.M. Sunday
5. Attend Evening Service at 7:30 P.M. Sunday
6. Attend Prayer Meeting at 7:30 P.M. Wednesday
7. Attend All Church Study Class at 7:30 P.M., Mar. 17 to 21

MEET YOUR PASTOR AND YOUR FRIENDS AT ALL
THESE SERVICES

Sunday School Lesson

Christianity and Communism
By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

Repeatedly in the account of the
early Christian church in the first
few chapters of the Book of the
Acts it is stated that the disciples
had all things in common.

It was an ideal situation, for
"great grace was upon them all,"
the common fund was distributed
"unto each according as any one
had need," and nobody lacked.

Moreover, it was a voluntary
sort of communism, very unlike
the modern-day dictatorships es-
tablished in violence and force.

Yet this apparently ideal early
Christian communism did not last,
and the various attempts to es-
tablish ideal communistic com-
munities have failed, though some
like the famous Oneida Commu-
nity, became economically profit-
able.

Why did early Christian com-
munity fail? Chiefly because the
Christians themselves failed, but
also because by its very nature
communism denies a wholesome
sense of individualism in faith and
action and substitutes enforced
discipline for a free and voluntary
expression of the impulses of brotherly
love.

If all Christians, both then and
later, had been as nobly unselfish
as Barnabas, whose whole course
as recorded in the Book of the
Acts ought to be studied for its
inspiration, much might have been
and still might be, possible. But
there were Ananias and Sapphi-
ras (Acts 5) in that early church,
whose secret motives were selfish.

Just why that couple should
have been among the Christian
disciples at all is not clear. They
were under no obligation to pro-
fess something in which they did
not believe. In fact it is difficult
to account for the presence of some
in the early church who seem to
have lacked any deep or real sense
of the religion they professed.

What worldly motive could have
induced any one to join a small
company, subject to derision and
persecution, seems hard to under-
stand, yet Paul's Epistles make the
facts quite plain.

Loafers, grafters, and sycophants
are always in evidence where they
can prey upon the kindness and
goodwill of others.

And the notion that Christians
should love one another, and the
evidence that they did so appar-
ently impressed some who set out
to take advantage of that love.

No man believed in brotherly

love more than the Apostle Paul,
but he was an eminently practical
man and no shallow sentimental-
ist.

He supported himself by work-
ing at his own craft of tent-mak-
ing. When he saw lazy, loafing
professed Christians using the doc-
trine of love to assert the obliga-
tion of others to support them,
Paul laid down the law in no un-
certain terms: "If any would not
work, neither should he eat."

The Christian Gospel and the
Christian life enjoin brotherly love
but they enjoin equally individual
responsibility.

Paul found no inconsistency in
putting together two texts: "Bear
ye one another's burdens, and so
fulfill the law of Christ," and,
"Every man must bear his own
burden."

That is great and important
teaching for today.

THE COMING WORLD DICTATOR! WHO IS HE?

HEAR this TIMELY SERMON

7:45 P.M. SUNDAY

by

Evang. J. C. McCluskey

from Oklahoma City, Okla.



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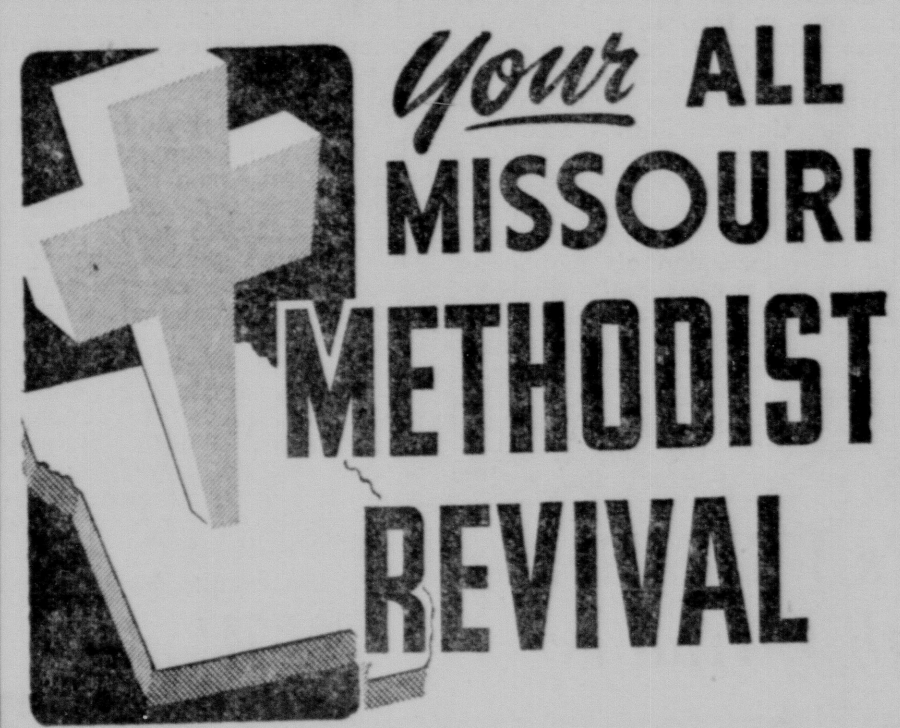
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OF GOD**

Sixth and Summit

Von Kemp—Pastor

**BROADWAY
Presbyterian Church**
Broadway at Kentucky Avenue
Worship Service 10:45 A.M.
Sermon Title:
"Cornerstones for Tomorrow"
Rev. D. Warren Neal, Minister



COOPERATING SEDALIA CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Fourth and Osage
Visiting Preacher, A. C. Runge, Trenton

FIFTH STREET METHODIST CHURCH

Fifth and Osage
Visiting Preacher, W. J. Wilcox, Chillicothe

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Visiting Preacher, R. H. Hicks, Kirkville

Special Services In All Three Churches
Sunday, March 2nd

both morning and evening
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Each Evening, Monday, March 3rd,
to Friday, March 7th

DISTRICT RALLY FOR YOUTH

at Epworth Church, Saturday, March 1st, 7:45 P.M.

Rev. R. H. Hicks, speaker

MASS MEETING AT EPWORTH CHURCH

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Bishop Paul E. Martin, Preaching

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Snowbound Cape Cod Hit By More Snow

BOSTON (AP)—Cape Cod, which has not yet dug out of the worst storm to hit the summer vacation belt in this generation, got another snowfall today but it wasn't expected to be as devastating as Wednesday's paralyzing blow.

The Weather Bureau said dawn would end late in the afternoon and add at least another inch of snow to the 14 to 20 inches which crippled the area.

The district forecaster said the new snowfall may extend from the Cape as far as Boston.

Wednesday's storm left drifts as high as 12 feet and isolated the Cape for 16 hours. Officials of Cape Cod towns say it may be several days before the majority of roads are even passable and before full utilities services are restored.

Some 10,000 homes were left without light and heat, all roads were blocked, scores of motorists were marooned, and only emergency telephone service was available.

Fourteen persons lost their lives in the storm throughout Southern New England but none of the other areas was hit as hard as the Cape.

An army of approximately 5,000 persons went to work immediately after the storm subsided to restore more nearly normal living conditions.

Early today, about 25 per cent of the Cape's homes were still without electric power. Main roads were open to one-lane width but 90 percent of the secondary roads were still impassable.

Hundreds of telephones were still inoperative. Mail deliveries were to resume today along cleared thoroughfare after a two-day lapse.

Motorists have been warned to stay off all Cape Cod highways. Bus service was not operating up to a late hour last night but train service continued almost without interruption.

Square Dance Class

Can Take More Couples
The Saturday Night Square Dance class still has openings for more couples who wish to join. Anyone interested may contact: Floyd Priddy, Damon Hieronymus, Wes Murphy, Donnie Donath or Kenneth Anderson.

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OBITUARIES

Mrs. Sarah D. Sieleman

Mrs. Sarah D. Sieleman, 85, died Thursday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Fred J. Anderson, 1815 East Sixty-seventh, Kansas City. She was the mother of Sister Mary Benita, a teacher in Sacred Heart school here. Mrs. Sieleman, the former Miss Sarah Dell Baker, was born at Gunigan, Cedar County, Missouri, and was a resident of Kansas City since 1927.

Her first husband, Andrew Wittman, was a farmer in Henry County, Missouri, who died about 1885. She was married to John B. Sieleman about 1886 and they farmed at Germantown and Montrose in Henry County, until they moved to Kansas City. Mr. Sieleman died in 1933. Surviving besides Mrs. Anderson and Sister Benita are: six other daughters, Miss Bertha Jane Sieleman of the home; Sister Mary Regis, Omaha; Mrs. Charles F. Williams, 2806 East Thirtieth, Kansas City; Mrs. E. P. Casburn, Denver; Mrs. M. H. Gilbert, 7024 Prospect, Kansas City; and Mrs. Margie Loyd, Reno, Nev.; three sons, Lawrence J. Wittman, Missouri; Frank M. Sieleman, West Union, Ia.; and Stephen J. Sieleman, Rich Hill, Mo., and a brother, James Baker, Boulder, Mont.

Funeral services will be held at the Ewing funeral home at 2 p. m. Saturday for Miss Fernanda E. Simon, 62, who died at the home of Herman F. Young, 601 East 14th, Thursday morning. The Rev. Rudolph Kranz, of Cole Camp will officiate.

Following the service, the body will be taken to the St. Paul's Lutheran church at Lake Creek where services will be held at 3 p. m. with the Rev. Kranz officiating. Interment will be in the Lake Creek cemetery.

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William E. Rider

William E. Rider, 77, died at the Bothwell hospital at 8:50 p. m. Thursday.

Mr. Rider was born at Spring Fork Feb. 18, 1875, the son of the late George and Hannah Rider. He had lived all of his life in Pettis county, engaging in farming until his retirement. He was a member of the First Christian church of Sedalia and of the Masonic Lodge at Cole Camp.

Mr. Rider is survived by one sister, Mrs. W. K. Anthony, Kansas City; one brother, Henry L. Rider, 1400 South Missouri; two nieces and three nephews.

Funeral services will be held at the First Christian church at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday. The Rev. David M. Bryan, pastor, will officiate. Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery.

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Funeral of Thomas Cardwell

Funeral services for Thomas Cardwell, 410 West Seventh, who died at the Bothwell hospital at noon Thursday, will be held at 2 p. m. Saturday at the Gillespie funeral home, the Rev. D. Warren Neal, pastor of the Church of the Presbyterians, will officiate.

Russell Mang, soloist, will sing "Abide With Me" and "In the Garden".

Pallbearers will be Albert Fleming, George S. Young, Robert Fritz, L. J. Thompson, Harry Sullivan and H. E. French.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mr. Cardwell was born in Kentucky May 20, 1872 and most of his life was spent in Sedalia.

Mr. Cardwell is survived by his widow, the former Mabel Evans, to whom he was married in Sedalia June 29, 1923, and a daughter.

Funeral of V. H. Winnberg

Funeral services for Victor Hugo Winnberg, 1115 West Sixth, who died at the Bothwell hospital Wednesday evening, will be held at 2:30 p. m. Friday at the McLaughlin funeral chapel, the Rev. Edward Sims, rector of the Calvary Episcopal church, officiating.

Mrs. Percy Metcalf and Mrs. Robert Seelen sang "The King of Love, My Shepherd Is" and "Now The Day Is Over," with John Atkinson at the organ.

The public library, of which he was a board member, was closed during the hour of the services.

Members of Calvary parish, in which he was an honorary member of the vestry, friends associated with him in the days he was in railroad work, others in various Masonic bodies to which he belonged, attended in large numbers.

Burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Funeral of Mrs. Amelia Ott

Funeral services for Mrs. Amelia Ott, who died Wednesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Halchak, in Kansas City, were held at 3 p. m. Friday at the Gillespie funeral home, the Rev.

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DAILY RECORD

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Medical: Mrs. Melsena Butler, 109 East Sixth; Riley Hayworth, route 3, Sedalia; Mrs. Walter L. Newton, route 3.

Tonsillectomy: Kirk Johnson, 1405 West 11th.

Accident: Paul Arrington, Houstonia.

Dismissals: Mrs. Walter St. Onge and infant son, 415 North Prospect; Mrs. Grace C. Haley, 215 South Grand; Mrs. Joe Gerke, 314 East Fourth; Mrs. William A. Proctor, Warsaw; Mrs. Harold Kueck and son, 1217 South Speed.

WOODLAND—Dismissed: Wallace Yost, Panama, Fla.; Mrs. Talmae Thomas, Ottville.

In Other Hospitals

W. M. Eccles, 1301 East 15th, has returned from the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis, where he received minor surgery. His condition is reported as very much improved.

R. J. "Bob" Wayman, Chillicothe, formerly of Sedalia, entered the Missouri Pacific hospital, St. Louis, Thursday. He was transferred from the Clinton hospital. His condition is critical.

Births

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Vogt, Versailles, born recently, has been named Darrell Dwayne. They have one other child, Sharon Kay. Mrs. Vogt was formerly Miss Norma Lee Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Henry, Versailles, and Mr. Vogt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vogt of Versailles.

Circuit Court

The Donnohue Loan and Investment Company filed suit against Francis J. Mock Thursday. In the petition it was alleged the defendant had failed to pay an agreed 5 per cent interest on \$10,000 within the specified 21 days. The plaintiff is asking for \$500 and costs.

Attorney for the plaintiff is William F. Brown.

Mary B. Dix filed a divorce against Ben G. Dix Thursday. They were married Sept. 9, 1951, and lived together for about a year.

Attorney for plaintiff is Henry C. Salveter.

Probate Court

Letters of administration were issued to Irvin W. Davis in the estate of George C. Miller, who died Jan. 17, 1952.

There were nine heirs listed.

Attorney for the estate is Mike Bogutsky.

Accidents

Damage resulted to two cars in an accident at Third and Washington about 3:25 p. m. Thursday. Occupants of the vehicles escaped injury.

One car, a 1940 Chevrolet coupe, was being driven east on Third by Billy Ulmer, 1524 South Vermont. The other car, a 1940 Plymouth coach, driven by Mrs. Virgil Maness, 1409 South Prospect, was headed south on Washington.

The left front fender, door and hub cap were damaged on the Chevrolet, while the front end of the Plymouth was damaged.

A hit and run driver was reported to the police by Mrs. J. W. Standard, 1611 South Lamine. She said the side of her car was damaged while parked in front of her home.

The car, a 1940 Packard sedan, had the left side damaged. The accident was reported at 7:45 p. m. Thursday.

Police Court

Harry Inman, charged with double parking, forfeited a \$2 bond in police court Friday.

Seven overtime parkers forfeited bonds of \$1 for each traffic ticket. They did not appear in court.

Roy Bowers, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating.

Mrs. C. D. Demand and Mrs. Arthur Bratten, with Mrs. Mae Moser, accompanist, sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Abide With Me."

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Local Red Cross Drive Opens With Its Annual Fund Dinner

The kick-off for the Red Cross fund drive by the Pettis county chapter was held at First Methodist church Thursday night with the annual meeting and fund dinner.

Eighty persons attended and heard Joseph R. Stewart, past chapter chairman of the Kansas City and Jackson county chapter, and present chairman of the national convention, make the principal address of the evening.

Reports on the various Red

Cross programs for 1951 were given.

Philip McLaughlin, Pettis county chapter chairman, announced the following divisional chairmen: John Hurley, business; P.T.A. groups, residence; Virgil Ragar, county; T. R. "Dick" Snow, industrial; Heber Hunt, teachers; Carl Urban, court-house; Mrs. Kingsbury and Mrs. Burrell, north Sedalia; and Philip McLaughlin, advance.

Directors Approved

Harry Brunkhorst submitted names for the board of directors, which were approved by acclamation. Directors are as follows: the Rev. W. P. Arnold, Ray Hatfield, William E. Hurlbut, Jr., Judge J. V. Kesterson, Miss Nettie Lamm, Mrs. R. W. Rapp, Emmet Sullivan, all of Sedalia; W. P. Nicholson, Hughesville; Mrs. Frank Parker, LaMonte; and Mrs. H. A. Hite, Green Ridge.

Mrs. Margaret Egan who resigned, Oscar M. Major replaced Roy Taylor of Longwood, and the Rev. Myers E. Williamson replaced the Rev. E. F. Dillon on the board of directors.

Chester Wolfe, campaign chairman for the current drive, told the audience that the success of the 1952 drive depended on every person. He pointed out that the goal for this year was \$17,450, which is 20 per cent more than the 1951 goal. He said two ways of making the goal were asking 1951 contributors for larger donations and seeing more people.

Stewart Tells Of Flood

Stewart told of his experiences as chairman of the Kansas City chapter during the flood of the past summer. He pointed out what the Red Cross was and what it does for people in need. He ended his talk by saying the Red Cross was not a charitable institution—but it gave the people what it collected plus thousands of dollars of free service.

Men's Choral Club

Presents Concert

For Eldon Crowd

"They loved us in Eldon." That was the impression a large and appreciative audience left with members of the Sedalia Men's Choral club after they presented a concert at Eldon high school Thursday night.

Sponsored by the Eldon branch of the American Association of University Women, the concert was for the benefit of the AAUW fund to establish a scholarship for an Eldon high school girl.

Under the direction of Abe Rosenthal, with Miss Lillian Fox as accompanist, the choral club gave a program lasting an hour and one-half and was given a generous ovation.

Following the musical, the AAUW members were hosts to choral club men and their wives, serving refreshments to the group in the gymnasium.

Elks Dance Saturday

Sedalia lodge No. 125, B. P. O. Elks, will hold a dance at the Elks Home, Fourth and Kentucky, from 10 p. m. Saturday to 1 a. m. Sunday. The Ted Clark orchestra from Marshall will furnish music for dancing.

This dance is for members and out-of-town guests and those candidates who have been elected to membership recently.

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Ground War Flares Anew In Tank Raids

SEOUL, Korea (AP)—Two Allied tank raiding parties battled with Red artillery on either side of the old Iron Triangle today in a flareup of action on the Korean ground fronts.

One force fought more than three hours before rumbling back to its own lines early this afternoon. This fight, against an undetermined number of Communists, was on the Central Front southeast of Kumsong. The Reds fled there when the Allies cracked their once vaunted Iron Triangle.

On the Western Front another tank force traded fire with Chinese artillery and mortars for an hour and a half this morning before it was ordered to return to its base. The action was west of Chorwon, once the western anchor of the Iron Triangle.

The U. S. Eighth Army reported a few patrol actions, but generally Allied troops along the 155-mile front enjoyed a quiet spring day.

From the mountains of the recently sub-freezing Eastern Front one division reported, "the snow is all melted and it's spring up here."

Airmen reported the weather was perfect for railway and bridge blasting operations against North Korean transport routes.

The Navy said its planes alone cut Communist rail lines in 134 places Thursday. Sea-borne aircraft also knocked out 102 sampans and other small craft used by the Reds to run supplies down the coasts, and blasted four bridges and one tank.

The U. S. cruiser St. Paul stood off the eastern end of the battle lines and lobbed eight-inch shells into Red bunkers. Six personnel bunkers were reported destroyed. The British cruiser Belfast shelled Communist guns and troops on the West coast.

Along the front itself about a third of the 1,500 artillery and mortar shells fired by the Reds were loaded with paper-propaganda leaflets condemning Allied "indiscriminate bombing" and blaming the U. N. for delay in truce talks.

Sleeping on Job Gets Dishonorable Discharge for GI

SEOUL, Korea (AP)—The Eighth Army judge advocate's office said today a general court martial convicted Pfc. Warren McConnell of Alloway, N. J., of sleeping while guarding a battlefield position. He was sentenced to dishonorable discharge and 10 years in prison.

The office said McConnell's sentence is up for review in Washington. A Seventh Division general court martial tried McConnell in December.

McConnell was accused of sleeping Nov. 14 while posted as a look-out on the main battlefield line. His organization was Company B of the 32nd Regiment.

The office said one previous conviction was considered in the trial. The commanding general of the Seventh Division approved the sentence.

McConnell is in the Lompoc, Calif., disciplinary barracks. (In Alloway, the soldier's father, Dorsey McConnell, said he would fight the sentence. He added that his son wrote him that he fell asleep after 72 hours of continuous duty.)

Uprisings to Mark Anniversary of Revolt

TOKYO (AP)—Kyodo news agency said today North Koreans plan demonstrations in Japan tomorrow, anniversary of a Korean uprising in 1919 against Japanese rule.

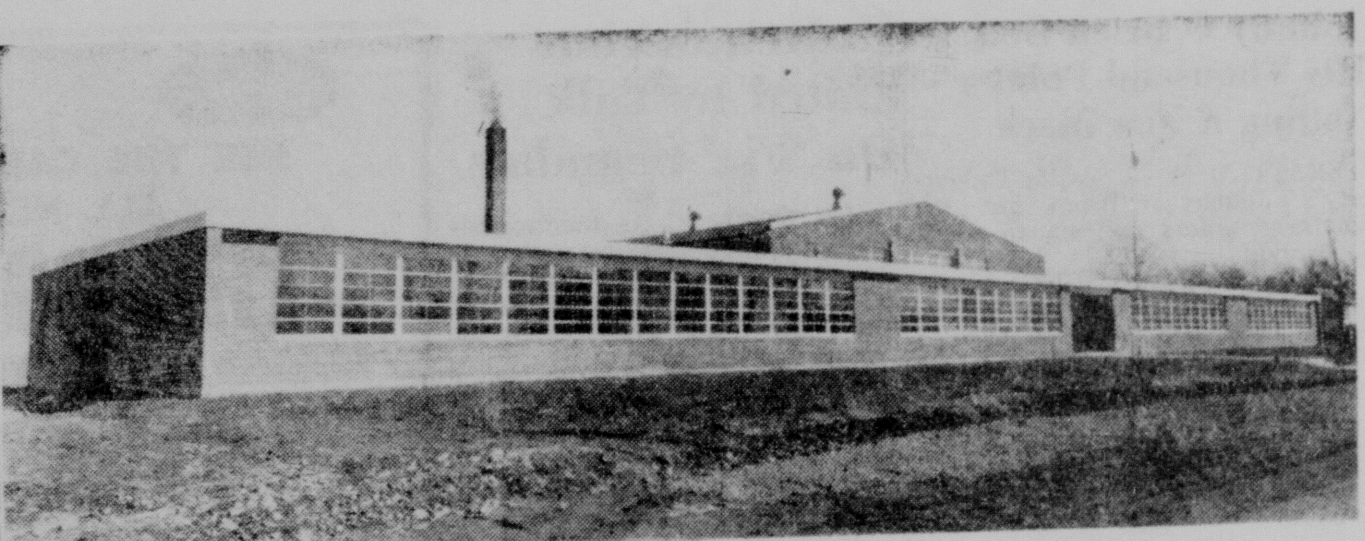
Kyodo said the "Korean Committee for Defense of the Motherland" called on Koreans to seize weapons from police and attack a rival South Korean organization.

Gene Tierney Divorced

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP)—Actress Gene Tierney holds an interlocutory decree of divorce from Oleg Cassini, New York dress designer.

He didn't contribute a dime toward the support of her or their two daughters during the 10 years they were married, the 31-year-old actress testified yesterday. Cassini, 40, did not contest the suit.

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OTTERVILLE'S NEW SCHOOL BUILDING, almost 100-yards long across the front, is shown in this picture taken just recently. It will be dedicated at homecoming ceremonies to be held Saturday night. (Lehmer Photo)

Otterville to Dedicate New School Building At Homecoming Ceremony on Saturday Night

Dedication ceremonies for the new Otterville elementary and high school building will be held at the school's auditorium at 8 p.m. Saturday with Dr. H. Pat Wardlow, assistant commissioner of education, Jefferson City, making the dedication address.

The program planned is both a dedication and homecoming for graduates or former Otterville high school students. All Otterville school district patrons and ex-students are urged to attend by V. C. Harrison, superintendent of schools.

Included on the program are numbers to be presented by the glee club and band. Roy Williams, a Booneville attorney, will deliver a short address and the Rev. Lewis Drake will give invocation and the Rev. John Muncy will lead the benediction.

The old Otterville school building of eight rooms and gymnasium was destroyed by fire the morning of Oct. 28, 1949. Also destroyed in the fire were almost all records, books, athletic and music equipment and other school equipment.

Residents of Otterville and surrounding territory rose to meet the challenge by voting bonds and levies, besides taking deep personal interest in a new building.

The structure was erected by the E. L. Sievers Construction company at a cost estimated at \$187,000. Dan R. Sandford and son of Springfield and Kansas City were the architects for the building.

It has 14 rooms, besides a combination of auditorium-gymnasium, office, rest rooms and a lunch room. It is built entirely of brick, block and concrete. Not taking chances on another fire destroying their house of learning, Otterville residents said "no wood in this building."

The floors are concrete, fixed for installation of asphalt floors when funds are obtained for that purpose. At present only the gymnasium and lunch room have asphalt floors.

The gym has a seating capacity of over 800 with a playing court of 84 by 43 feet. Most players who have played on the Otterville court have had nothing but praise for the new floor, considering the facts that funds were not available for hard wood.

Rooms in this new building are painted in pastel colors. The front of the building is almost all of glass. In all, there are 43 large

windows, making excellent lighting conditions.

According to Superintendent Harrison, the building is of the latest type construction for a school building, on the basis of the amount of money spent. Everything from athletic to science equipment has been purchased new.

The front of the building measures 296 feet, while the grade school wing is 54 feet deep and the high school wing is 57 feet deep. The gym gives the building the appearance of being T-shaped. It is 100 feet in length and 90 feet in width.

Students who attended the Otterville school at the time of the fire started attending classes all over Otterville. There were classes in the Masonic hall, Legion hall, Baptist and Presbyterian churches, and several stores.

On Sept. 24, 1951, use of the new building began. There are 240 students at the school from grades one to 12, with 13 teachers. Added to the program of study has been the home economics department.

The industrial arts department is the only one located outside the school building. It is in a small wooden structure west of the new school. It is three years old and has all new equipment.

Superintendent Harrison pointed out how many citizens of the Otterville community had contributed as individuals to make the school a better one. One group of men wanted the building to have face brick, which required an additional \$2,000. These men put up the money for the face brick.

The Parent-Teachers Association of the school raised \$1,300 for new stage curtains and a group of sports-minded men contributed \$300 for an electric scoreboard for the basketball games.

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New Record Tourist Trade Jams Florida

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—A new record tourist tide swarmed into Florida in mid-February.

The state's resort accommodations were swamped despite many new hotels and tourist courts constructed since last year. In a number of places the overflow slept in cars, on cots in hotel lobbies and on pallets in private homes.

The tide spread over the entire state—the Gulf Coast, the central lake area and the Atlantic resorts were equally jammed.

They found the state cleaner than ever before in so far as illegal gambling was concerned. They proved how wrong the old "liberal policy" spokesmen were in claiming that without casinos and bookies there would be no tourists.

A good many of them did their betting legally at horse and dog race tracks, and set new betting and attendance records. Tropical Park's attendance was up 117,000 to a total of 397,887, and betting up \$7,019,000 to \$29,754,937 for a 40-day season.

Hialeah race course, the beautiful mid-season track, likewise was running up record attendance and betting figures.

Tourist surveys by newspapers on Florida's Gulf and Atlantic Coasts brought similar reports of a relatively slow start with a mid-February jam of unprecedented proportions.

"From Pinellas County's beach resorts on down as far as Naples landlards were having to turn visitors away by the hundreds," said the Tampa Tribune in a story of one frenzied February weekend.

"Reports of travel-worn tourists giving up the search for rooms and sleeping in their cars were heard in almost every town."

The Miami Herald reported the Florida Keys filled up. This famed fishing area has boomed during the past several years.

A qualified real estate man estimated 130,000 persons in the Port Lauderdale area late in February. The entire Gold Coast from Palm Beach to Miami was reported by the Miami Daily News as sparkling "as it never has before."

Bumper-to-bumper traffic along highways slowed driving and brought some unexpected problems. A local news commentator delayed by traffic on a Port

Arraigned before Beverly Hills Municipal Judge Charles J. Griffin, they were ordered to return March 7 for preliminary hearing. Bail was set at \$50,000 for Lord and \$15,000 for the others.

They are accused of participating in four jewel robberies as part of a plan to collect \$600,000 to purchase a surplus bomber to finance a gold-seeking expedition into Mexico.

Another suspect, Fred Marratto, 35, was arrested on a charge of receiving stolen property.

Lord, in the import business, and the others were seized by Detective Ray Borders, who joined the gang through a ruse and sprung a trap on them.

Borders said Spaulding told him they could sell a ton of gold for \$1,600,000. Spaulding said he learned from a Yaqui chief that the Indians had 2,400 pounds of gold in a cache near a Nogales, Mex., reservation. Only \$300 cash was realized from the jewel thefts.

Semor Rothenburg, 46, arrested at the same time as the others, was freed today, Karen said Rothenburg had a license permitting him to import gold. Rothenburg had been booked on suspicion of receiving stolen property.

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U. S. Takes Serious View of Argentine Jailing U. S. Youth

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP)—American Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker reported today to Argentina's deputy foreign minister the U. S. Government takes a "serious view" of the jailing without explanation of a youthful American tourist.

Saul S. Saulson, 23, of Detroit was arrested two weeks ago. Police have refused U. S. consular officials permission to visit him. Charges against Saulson have not been revealed.

He was caught in a dragnet police spread last month for anti-government politicians of the Radical party. Unconfirmed reports said the mass arrests were intended to quell a plot against President Peron.

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Team Strength Makes Kansas Big 7 Choice

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Thanks to its own overall strength and misfortune to its outstanding rivals, Kansas rules as favorite in the 24th Big Seven Conference indoor track meet opening here tonight.

One final event, the broad jump, will be sandwiched into the preliminaries. Tonight's card clears the way for an all-finals program tomorrow night.

On a basis of performances in meets this winter, Coach Bill Easton's Kansas Jayhawks figure to beat Oklahoma's Sooners for the championship ribbon by approximately 10 points.

Kansas is especially strong in the distance runs, starring Herb Semper and Wes Santee. Semper set the 2-mile record of 9:11.3 last year. He'll also double in the mile.

Sophomore Santee was undefeated in the mile run in dual meets leading up to the conference championship.

Bob Devinney of Kansas also appears the strongest threat in both the 60 yard high and low hurdles although he can expect a fight from Don Bedker of Nebraska.

Oklahoma is overstocked with fine sprinters and appears a cinch to break the mile relay record of 3:22.1 set by Missouri in 1949.

The Sooners figure to do it with Charles Coleman, Quane Cox, Harry Lee and Freshman J. W. Mashburn carrying the baton.

Nebraska, the defending champion, doesn't figure too strongly in the titular picture especially since its ace freshman sprinter, Bob Fiebert, was left at home because of injuries.

Kansas State, with a great sprinter in Thane Baker, is expected to place third ahead of Nebraska, or possibly Missouri, another former power.

Hubbard Upsets Lexington Five By 36-31 Score

Thursday night the Hubbard Tigers upset Douglas High of Lexington by a score of 36-31.

Douglas jumped ahead 6 to 0 in the first quarter and topped a half-time score of 21 to 11.

In the second half the Tigers outmaneuvered the visitors and pulled a full court press.

High point men of the game were Hannon of Douglas with 15 and Alvin Jones of Hubbard with 11.

The Hubbard Tigerettes bowed to Douglas' girls' team by a score of 41-22. Douglas moved into a first quarter lead and at no period in the game let up.

High scorers of the game were Benton, 15 points, and Bratton, 10 points, both of Douglas, and Parks of Hubbard with 10.

The Hubbard "B" Tigerettes defeated the Douglas junior team by a score of 49 to 27. Charles Whitney and Kenneth Herndon of Hubbard took point honors with 14 and 10 respectively.

Sports-In-Brief

By The Associated Press

BASKETBALL

NEW YORK (AP)—Western Kentucky, LaSalle, Louisville and New York University accepted bids to the National Invitation Basketball Tournament leaving only one school to be selected in the 12-team event.

GENERAL

PARIS (AP)—Dick Button, Englewood, N. J., virtually clinched his fifth straight world figure skating Olympic champions, Rita and Paul Falk won the pairs title by beating Peter and Karol Kennedy of Seattle.

GOLF

BATON ROUGE, La. — Jack Burke, Houston, Tex., shot a low under-par 68 to take the lead in the first round of the \$10,000 Baton Rouge Open.

Dressen Sees Stronger Bench for Bums In '52

VODO BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Brocklyn Dodgers manager Chuck Dressen believes that his bench will be stronger this year if outfielders George Shuba and Don Williams stick.

Said Dressen today: "Shuba's a left-handed hitter who can hit a long ball in the pinch. Williams improved toward the end of the season, so he'll give us some reserve right-handed hitting strength."

Mantle Has Best Chance To Be Yankee Regular

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—Switch-hitter Mickey Mantle has the best chance of any New York Yankee outfielder to play regularly in manager Casey Stengel's two-division system.

"I'm naturally a right-handed hitter," said Mantle. "But I'm just as comfortable hitting left-handed."

Cubs Get Understudy For Smalley In Hardin

MESA, Ariz. (AP)—Bill Hardin, drafted from Rochester of the International League where he batted .262, appears to have clinched the Chicago Cubs understudy spot for shortstop Roy Smalley.

Manager Phil Cavarretta says that defensive Hardin is the best shortstop the Cubs have had since Bill Jurgens.

BOWLING Scores

Motor League

Team Standings Won Lost Pct.
Stevenson Ford Tractor 43 29 .597
Boots Studebaker 40 32 .556
Cal Rodgers Pontiac 39 33 .542
Thompson-O'Connor 37 35 .514
W. A. Smith Ford 30 42 .417
Dan Robinson Nash 27 45 .375

High Totals
High team single game: Cal Rodgers Pontiac, 1,042 pins.
High team series: Stevenson Ford Tractor, 3,010 pins.
High individual game: William Shockey, Jim Ryan, 213 pins.
High individual series: Red Wittman, 569 pins.

Second high individual series: Jim Ryan, 552 pins.

Boots Studebaker (Won 2)
Hunter 132 174 163 479
Morris 133 163 125 421
Whitfield 119 169 165 453
Thomas 172 177 155 504
Handicap 149 149 149 447

Totals 873 999 901 2803
W. A. Smith Motor Co. (Won 1)
Raitt 126 184 105 415
Zink 149 101 131 401
Stewart 159 150 137 446
Roseboom 161 153 181 495
Michaelis 181 136 142 459
Handicap 157 157 157 471

Totals 933 881 856 2660
Stevenson Ford Tractor (Won 2)
Blind 156 156 198 198
McMullen 167 128 150 445
Stevenson 137 174 158 469
Reeves 138 182 180 500
Handicap 169 180 198 548

Totals 908 969 1033 3010
Dan Robinson Nash (Won 1)
Yoder 172 146 138 456
Yadiga 181 143 173 497
Carson 121 124 148 393
Shoe 176 139 150 465
McEury 138 187 190 515
Handicap 184 184 184 552

Totals 953 923 983 2859
Cal Rodgers Pontiac (Won 2)
Satterwhite 119 174 184 477
Lough 157 163 180 500
Miers 150 156 211 517
Wittman 127 127 127 381
Handicap 127 127 127 381

Totals 896 917 1042 2855
Thompson-O'Connor (Won 1)
Long 189 147 169 505
Shockey 174 213 167 554
McCurdy 136 182 180 500
McEury 106 158 187 451
Ryan 169 170 213 552
Handicap 110 110 110 330

Totals 883 990 1036 2909
8:45 Thursday League
Team Standings Won Lost Pct.
Falstaff Dist. Co. 43 29 .597
Black & White Mkt. 42 30 .583
Cole Camp 42 30 .583
Ralph Hamlin's Service 36 36 .500
Cash Hardware 34 38 .472
Manor Bread 30 44 .405
Meadow Gold 29 43 .403

High Totals
High team single game: Ralph Hamlin's Service, 1,090 pins.
High team series: Ralph Hamlin's Service, 3,057 pins.
High individual game: Jim Ryan, 245 pins.
High individual series: Jim Ryan, 640 pins.

Second high individual game: Bernie Sharper, 227 pins.
Second high individual series: George Dugan, 554 pins.

Ralph Hamlin's Service (Won 3)
Dugan 190 132 222 554
Hamlin 118 165 180 463
Fabry 176 152 161 489
Adams 146 160 169 475
McCurdy 175 126 224 525
Handicap 143 143 143 429

Totals 938 884 1090 3057
Meadow Gold (Won 0)
Friedly 143 159 197 499
Carson 144 137 124 405
Hamby 118 130 176 424
Summers 184 129 192 505
Walsh 124 156 197 477
Handicap 173 173 173 519

Totals 896 894 1059 2829
Falstaff Dist. Co. (Won 2)
Heisterberg 181 165 145 491
Lough 155 166 135 456
Kidwell 150 170 178 498
Sharper 156 160 227 543
Blind 160 160 160 480
Handicap 143 143 143 429

Totals 965 944 988 2897
Black & White Mkt. (Won 1)
R. Heimsath 157 144 178 479
L. Heimsath 136 138 157 431
Murphy 154 184 153 491
Bohling 145 153 149 427
Ryan 183 245 212 640
Handicap 138 138 138 414

Totals 913 962 987 2882
Cash Hardware (Won 1)
Gerster 200 127 142 469
Gamber 179 163 143 485
Deady 168 163 131 464
Cain 159 121 141 421
Schultz 147 133 189 469
Handicap 203 203 203 609

Totals 1056 912 989 2917
Manor Bread (Won 2)
W. Rucker 147 128 130 405
Pummlin 136 200 150 486
Cramer 204 151 180 535
T. Rucker 138 174 171 483
McMullen 178 149 155 482
Handicap 228 228 228 684

Totals 1031 990 1014 3035
The Clansmen (Won 2)
Boyd Burton 134 136 270
Bob England 142 143 285
Don Gray 163 150 313
Bill Arnold 150 194 307
Stan Walsh 130 152 282

Total Inc. H.C. 719 738 1457
The Footers (Won 0)
Buck Whitfield 125 100 225
Don Potter 93 96 189
Earl Nield 97 81 178
Chuck Welch 154 115 269
Dickie Gorrell 116 111 227

Total Inc. H.C. 585 503 1088
Blue Young Sheet Metal (Won 1)
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Williams and Kiner Head List Of Few Unsigned Major Stars

NEW YORK (AP)—Ted Williams and Ralph Kiner head a small but impressive list of major league stars who have not signed their 1952 contracts.

An Associated Press survey reveals that 29 players, 17 in the American League and 12 in the National who have not come to terms.

The majority will be classified as "holdouts" if they fail to sign by Saturday, the official start of spring training.

Five National League clubs, the champion New York Giants, the St. Louis Cardinals, Cincinnati Reds, Chicago Cubs and Brooklyn Dodgers, have all of their players in the fold. Only the Chicago White Sox in the American can make the same boast.

Williams, one of four Red Sox dickerers for terms, is scheduled to appear at the Sox' Sarasota base Saturday for a conference with general manager Joe Cronin.

The high-salaried slugger is due to report to the Marines May 2 and is seeking a special contract to cover the period until he returns to service.

Infielders Billy Goodman, Johnny Pesky and pitcher Mel Parnell are the other recalcitrant Red Sox.

Kiner, scheduled to show up at the Pirates' base at San Bernardino, Calif., Monday, for a conference with Pittsburgh president John Galbreath.

The Pirate star reportedly is aiming for a two-year contract at \$70,000 per season, an increase of \$5,000 over his 1951-52 salary.

Other balking Pirates are pitchers Murray Dickson, Mel Queen, Fred Strobel, Jim Walsh and infielder-outfielder George Metkovich.

The Philadelphia Athletics have four players remaining to be satisfied; shortstop Eddie Joost, first baseman Ferris Fain, infielder Billy Hitchcock, and catcher Joe Tipton.

Shortstop Phil Rizzuto and third baseman Bobby Brown are the lone members of the world champion New York Yankees who haven't signed.

The Detroit Tigers and St. Louis Browns each have two unsigned players and the Cleveland Indians and Washington Senators one each.

Infielder Jerry Priddy and pitcher Hal Newhouse haven't agreed to Tiger terms. Newhouse claims he has signed but the club hasn't received his contract.

The two Brownies still out are infielders Phil Jennings and pitcher John Getki.

Outfielder Gil Coan is Washington's only displaced athlete. Cleveland's abstainers are infielders Bob Avila and George Strinewiss.

The Philadelphia Phillies have four unsigned players. They are shortstop Gran Hamner, third baseman Willie Jones, second baseman Connie Ryan, and relief pitcher Jim Konstanty.

Veteran catcher Walker Cooper and third baseman Bob Elliott are dissatisfied over terms offered by the Boston Braves.

Phog Allen Picks An All-American

LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP)—Dr. F. C. (Phog) Allen has picked a 1952 All-America basketball team made up entirely of Big Seven Conference athletes which he says can beat any team in the country.

The University of Kansas coach listed his choices as: Bob Kenney, Kansas, and Dick Knostman, Kansas State, forwards; Clyde Lovellette, Kansas, center; and Bill Stauffer, Missouri, and Jim Buchanan, Nebraska, guards.

"I'll take that team and play anybody else's top five," Allen said. "Let them try to match it. If you want figures, these boys are averaging slightly more than 19 points per game apiece. The team scoring average is 95.2."

"I'd call 'em the one-shot wonders. That's all the opposition would get with Lovellette, Knostman and Stauffer to clear the boards."

Yankees Believe They Have Landed a Sleeper In Ex-Brown McDonald

TAMPA, Fla. (AP)—Manager Luke Sewell is hopeful that he may have a "sleeper" among his new Cincinnati Reds pitching berth aspirants in young Joe Nuxhall.

Nuxhall is the Hamilton southpaw who first pitched for the Reds in 1944 when he was only 15 years old. He was too wild and inexperienced, however, and he's been in and out of the rotation since.

Last year he won 13 and lost 22 with Tulsa but his showing was good enough to bring about a return engagement with Cincinnati.

High School Basketball

(By The Associated Press)

Missouri Class "A" high school basketball tourney:
At Rockhurst (Semi-Finals)
Lillis 52, De LaSalle 33.
Northeast 47, Westport 45 (double overtime).

At St. Joseph
Central 51, Chillicothe 45.
Christian Brothers 26, Maryville 17.
At Springfield
Marshall 53, Bolivar 31 (championship).
Springfield 32, Lebanon 31 (third place).

At Warrensburg (Semi-Finals)
Raytown 39, Lexington 37.
Carrollton 32, Lee's Summit 49.
At North Kansas City
North Kansas City 42, Southwest 41.
Wichita 40, Truman 31. Manual 43.

At Jefferson City (Semi-Finals)
Boonville 60, Eldon 54.
Jefferson City 45, Columbia 43.
At Carthage (Semi-Finals)
Nevada 42, Webb City 36.
Carthage 55, Monett 49.

At Macon (Semi-Finals)
Kirksville 46, Macon 39.
Brookfield 60, Moberly 39.
At Cape Girardeau
Central 48, DeSoto 44.
Flat River 52, Farmington 43.

At Washington
Washington 37, Potosi 31.
Crystal City 51, Herculaneum 43.
At Cahoon
Donalson 63, Willow Springs 41.
Salem 51, West Plains 45.

At Sikeston
Poplar Bluff 68, Kennett 46.
Salem 43, Dexter 36.
At Webster Groves
Cleveland 57, Beaumont 43.
Webster Groves 34, McBride 44.

At University City
University City 60, Clayton 34.
At De Anza
De Anza 64, Southwest 58.
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Knob Noster 55, Warrensburg 26.
Alma 45, Norborne 39.

Johnny O'Brien Gets His Thousand Points, Setting a New Mark

SEATTLE (AP)—Seattle University's Johnny O'Brien got his thousand points and six to spare last night.

Needing only 30 points to hit 1,000 in one season, the Seattle super chief popped in 36 to lead his chieftains to a 79-75 victory over Portland University.

The new total — set in 35 games this season — bettered the former high set by George King of Morris-Harvey College in 1949-50 by 39 points.

Tornados Take Optimist Loop, Carriers Second

The Troop 65 Tornados won first place in the Optimist basketball league by winning a 44-12 game over the Midgets last night at Whittier school. This completes a seven-week schedule of eight teams. In the other game played last night the Red Birds scored a 24-9 victory over the Optimist West team.

The Sedalia Democrat Newspaper Carriers won second place with the Red Birds placing third. Plans are under way to have a tournament playoff with the same eight teams.

Team standings: W L
Troop 65 Tornados 7 0
Democrat Newspaper 6 1
Carriers 5 2
Red Birds 5 2
Optimist West 5 3
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Optimist East 3 4
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Truman Speaks Frankly On Dictator Franco

By Ross Pearson

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 29 — (AP) — President Truman had a frank exchange the other day with Catholic Congressman Clement Zablocki of Wisconsin regarding Truman's blast at Dictator Franco of Spain. Congressman Zablocki didn't approve of the President's action and bluntly said so.

"It was most unfortunate that your remarks were made about the same time that General Eisenhower also spoke out against Spain," declared the Wisconsin legislator. "I naturally feel that we are going to get more out of the dollars we spend for aiding Atlantic pact nations if Spain belongs to the pact. I agree that conditions in Spain are none too happy, but Yugoslavia isn't a democracy either and yet we have given Tito millions in aid."

Truman replied that his criticism was directed solely at Franco and not at the Spanish people.

Franco was chiefly responsible for the "intolerance" suffered by what he called "that minority of minorities" — about 30,000 Spanish Protestants.

"In some parts of Spain Protestants can't even bury their dead during the day or mark their graves with tombstones for fear of inciting demonstrations," declared Truman. "Dictatorships encourage that sort of thing."

Zablocki agreed the situation was "regrettable," but added: "We have the problem right here in the United States. Catholics, Jews and Negroes, or, for that matter, anybody with a foreign-sounding name, are badly treated in our Klux areas. We have been reading lately about ruffians stoning synagogues."

"Unfortunately, that is true," agreed Truman, but went on to point out that he, as President, was doing everything possible to stamp out intolerance while Franco wasn't lifting a finger.

"As President of the United States," he said, "I will not compromise with the persecution of minorities either in this country or anywhere in the world."

Zablocki observed that the situation in Spain could be corrected a lot quicker if we took Spain into the Atlantic pact; but the President disagreed. He said he had his doubts about any real religious tolerance as long as Franco remained dictator.

Taft Battles Bradley
Senator Taft is conducting his private war against the joint chiefs of staff not only in public speeches

'Mum's The Word'



but behind closed doors. He even went to General Bradley, chairman of the joint chiefs, for special attack the other day during a private session of the joint committee on the economic report.

Sen. Ralph Flanders, Vermont Republican, gave Taft an opening by protesting: "I have no confidence whatever that the natural professional way of thinking... will ever be satisfied with any scale of military development and expenditure. It is just in the nature of the case that they should not be."

Immediately Taft interceded. "My confidence in the joint chiefs of staff is somewhat upset," he said, "when I read the testimony of the chairman of the joint chiefs two years ago in March when he said in his opinion 15 billion dollars was completely adequate for the security of the United States, and that if he recommended 30 billion dollars for the armed forces, he ought to be dismissed as chairman of the joint chiefs of staff."

"That was just two years ago today," opined Taft. "It shakes your confidence as to whether he right now."

Taft neglected to mention that he was in the vanguard of those fugees, disillusioned by their return, before the Korean war, but returned

the heat on Bradley and the military to curtail their budget.

Forgotten Men

The conference on psychological strategy heard a candid report on the shoddy treatment of Iron Curtain escapees from a man who had a ringside seat — Philip E. Ryan, former chief of mission of the international refugee organization.

"They exist in overcrowded camps with little hope for emigration, practically no possibility for employment, and the means at their disposal to fight back at the thing (Communism) which has broken their lives," reported Ryan.

With regard to our "policy" on refugees, Ryan explained: "On the one hand, we apparently encourage flight from intolerable conditions under Communism. The picture of life in the west is tantamount to an invitation to 'come over to our side.'"

"Once they are in the west, however, we renounce responsibility. After we have milked them of any information they can give us, they are turned over to the German government, which already is burdened with over 9,000,000 German refugees."

"Is it any wonder that some of them are in the vanguard of those fugees, disillusioned by their return, before the Korean war, but returned

Democrat Pick-Ups

Odds and Ends
By News Staff

Two men living in hotel apartments have suits exactly alike. Recently they sent their suits to the same cleaner about the same time and when the suits were at the cleaners the vests became switched.

There was considerable difference in the sizes of the two men and the smaller of the two put his suit on first. The vest was way too large and although he hadn't noticed that he was getting any smaller he was simply lost in the vest. So, not knowing what else to do, he took the vest to a tailor and four inches was taken out. Then the larger man put on his suit and found there was just too much of him for the vest. He knew he hadn't puffed up so suddenly and, knowing the incident that happened to the first man, he realized that the vests had been exchanged. He went to the smaller man to tell him, but the first man had spent a dollar to have the vest altered to fit him and he just wasn't going to take it up. It took several hours of giving before the gentleman with the largest abdominal bulge convinced the other man that he would naturally need a longer vest than the other, but he finally won out. It cost him inches set back in the vest.

It's an ill wind that blows nobody good though—and the fellow who profited by the mixed vests was the tailor—he is richer by \$2—H. L.

held up as to be exploited and held up as examples of the unreliability of the west? Thus we hand the Russians a weapon which they can use effectively to convince their listeners that we merely mouth false promises."

One Iron Curtain refugee, bitter because attention was lavished only on those who escape dramatically, as in the Czech "freedom train" last summer, grumbled to Ryan: "The only way you'd get attention now is to be shot across (the Iron Curtain) in a cannon."

Off-Again, On-Again

A New Jersey group, led by Mayor John Kenny of Jersey City and Democratic Congressman Ed Hart and Al Sienkiewicz, calling on the President recently, got the impression that he will make no pronouncement on his candidacy until close to convention time in July.

He indicated: 1. That he hasn't made up his mind about running again; 2. That he is concerned only with the "day-to-day" handling of world and domestic issues and letting the future dictate his political moves.

"In other words, I am going along to the best of my ability doing the job the people pay me to do," the President said.

He was much more specific on another matter — keeping former Jersey City boss Frank Hague in the doghouse.

Mayor Kenny charged that Hague was conducting an undercover campaign to deprive New Jersey of federal housing projects in revenge against Kenny and other Democrats who defeated his once-powerful political machine.

"We are sorely in need of defense housing, chiefly in northern New Jersey," declared the mayor who replaced Hague. "But Hague is so vindictive that we have reports that he is trying to divert these projects to New York and Pennsylvania."

Truman promised to give the matter his "personal attention," adding tersely, "I guess some people don't know when to quit."

Note — When Kenny recalled that he had met the President's daughter, Margaret, and his brother, Vivian, Truman interposed: "Yes, but you haven't met the boss. Some day I'd like to introduce you to Mrs. Truman."

The Peacock Path

THE STORY: In an effort to solve the murder of Ames Warburton, Jim O'Grady, private detective, has been questioning Sally Cravath, niece of O'Grady's client, Marney Cravath, a partner of the murdered man. Suspects include Jack Dumont, another partner, and his wife Dolly Dumont, and a wealthy client, Mrs. Eve Wheeler, a widow.

XI

DAVE SLADEN and Ames Warburton had been rivals for Sally Cravath. And now Ames Warburton was suddenly and thoroughly eliminated. I didn't develop that idea verbally. Sally had shown a reluctance the moment I mentioned Dave. I didn't want her clamping up on me.

"Dave," she began, "seems to have been born with a terrific inferiority complex. I doubt if he'll ever get over it. He'll have a chip on his shoulder all his life. His story is simple, but I hate telling you. I'll sound rather—snobbish."

"You couldn't," I assured her. "Well, if you've got to have it, Dave comes from some whistle stop in the Middle West. He was one of a big family and there wasn't any money. But he is very bright and ambitious. I'm practically quoting him—he's told me, but about himself, but not all. You see, Dave is very bitter."

"Financially speaking," she went on, "he didn't rate a college education at all. He was just plain too poor. But he wasn't willing to settle for some little job. He got himself a preliminary education, by hook or crook, and then went to college. Some place called Griskine. I'd never heard of it until he mentioned it. But, apparently, they have some phony standards out there, even as our respected Ivy League. And because Dave did all sorts of menial jobs, he was made to feel that he didn't belong. Naturally, that's all rot and he ought to forget it. But he can't. It

seems to have cut into him very deeply."

"Was he an athlete?" I asked. "No. Dave wasn't 'good old Sladen,' who once scored on Notre Dame or anything. He couldn't go into the insurance or brokerage business and browbeat the alumni into buying stuff on the strength of some heroic record. Dave was just a little guy, out for an education. And he got it. But—" a very regular phony alignment cut into the red of an underlip—"I sometimes think that Dave would have been better off if he'd played ball in the sticks. He might have gone places... there."

WELL, I could visualize all that easily. Dissatisfied, restless, a cut, mentally, above the norm of the place. Consequently plagued, always, by a sense of the inadequacy around him and the desire for some better existence. And brought up, no doubt, on legends.

Rockefeller, Carnegie, Schwab et al—impinging, practically barefoot, upon the American picture. Well, why not Dave Sladen?

And, if some light-haired kid, inheritance and what-not had had advantages that Dave hadn't had—was making everything look like a ridiculous crumple.

"That's Dave," Sally's bright head nodded. "He got his job with Uncle Marney because he's very clever and—much as I'm sure he knows as much about the business as Uncle Marney does. But I'm sure of this too." Her eyes held mine a minute, then slanted down, in a queer streak of grayish-yellow. "Dave hates the ground we walk on."

Cravath had invited me to use his den any time I wanted to. I drifted in there after I'd brought Sally home. It was a comfortable little place, snugger than my own room, and a good spot in which to arrange in my mind the facts I

now had about the people at Windover.

These, I thought, were pretty sketchy, despite Sally's efforts. Boiled down, they came to this:

Dolly Dumont was a diplomancer; Jack Dumont a reputable business man, sometime college athlete and presently long-suffering husband.

Eve Wheeler had a hatful of money, a chequered marital career and an awful lot of steely strength under a deceptively languid and soft exterior.

Dave Sladen had been forced to hoe the hard row. And slights and snubs, I gathered, had left him with a certain worminess of soul.

PRESENTLY

I saw, too, that straight thinking required another pair of suspects to be put on my list. It seemed the height of absurdity even to entertain the bare notion that Sally Cravath might be a killer. But Sally was one of us. She'd had as good an opportunity as anyone else. And as for motive... well, who but Sladen, apparently, had one? So, feeling like a complete heel, I lumped the girl I was going goofy over in with the rest of the prospective homicides.

Marston Cravath, though, was a different proposition. I liked him, and didn't like thinking of him as a killer. But suppose, for example, that behind the respectable and venerable facade of Cravath & Company something was rotten, and that Ames Warburton had been on to it. Perhaps even, despite his clean honest appearance, Ames had gone in for a bit of blackmail. Or what if Ames, although ostensibly he had been at Windover on neither occasion, was actually behind the crashing flower pot and the hurling car? And if Cravath had somehow discovered it, coincident with my coming, and made quick opportunity to beat Ames to the next punch?

None of all this appeared very probable. But the possibilities had, I thought, to be taken into consideration. It was all, however, a hopeless, crazy-quilt of conjecture.

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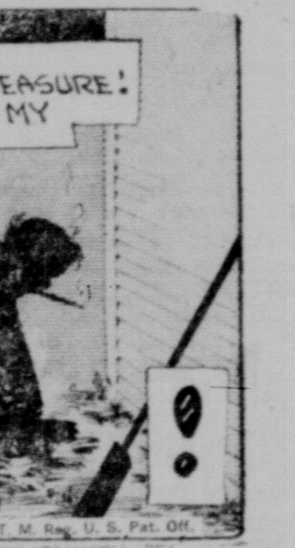
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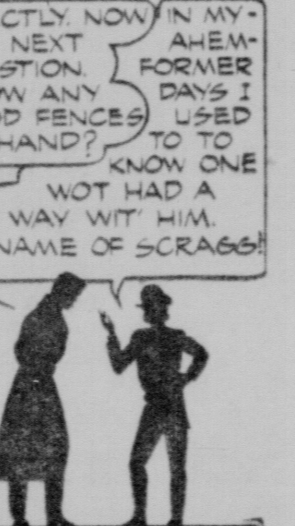
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7. Scents
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9. Shoshonean Indians
10. Fleur de
11. Evergreen tree
12. Refined
13. Cut in cubes
14. Autumn flowers
15. Color
16. Existed
17. Detain
18. Is indolent
19. Divide equitably
20. Guide
21. Club
22. Goes astray
23. Tavern
24. Wide separations
25. Strike
26. Incarnation
27. Japanese city
28. Bred
29. Checks
30. Impressions

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3. Attempt
4. Norwegian capital

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US Commies All Set to Go Underground

LOS ANGELES, — (P) — Communist underground plans, a national radio communications scheme and an atomic scientist — all contained in the testimony of a top ex-Communist — have enlivened the trial of California's 15 party leaders.

John Lautner, Eastern functionary of the party for 21 years, joined the defense yesterday with these disclosures from the witness stand:

The Communist party in 1948 and 1949 devised an intricate system for going underground in New York and elsewhere if and when the party was declared illegal. It was directed by Robert Thompson, one of the 11 national leaders convicted of conspiracy in 1949. Thompson appointed Lautner to carry out the program in New York state.

John Williamson, another of the convicted hierarchy, discussed with Lautner the possibility of a national network of amateur radio stations and mobile transmitters to line the proposed underground.

Lautner was in charge of buying and distributing printing equipment under the plan. In 1949, he said, he gave a mimeograph machine to Dorothy Healey, one of the present defendants, while she was attending a meeting in New York.

In 1941, one of his teachers at the party's national school for leaders was an atomic scientist, an assistant professor at Columbia university known to Lautner only as "John."

The Californians are charged with conspiring — with each other and with the convicted national leaders — to teach and advocate violent overthrow of the government.

More Edward Jr., Woe: He's Arrested for Check

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (P) — Trouble continues to pile up on Edward G. Robinson Jr., 19-year-old son of the movie actor.

He was jailed last night on a felony warrant issued in Fullerton, Calif., charging that he issued a \$139 bank check with intent to defraud.

The youth was ordered out of his father's home after eloping early this month to Tijuana, Mexico, and marrying Frances Chisholm, 24-year-old actress.

U. J. Ledger, Fullerton garage employe who signed the complaint, said young Robinson bought two premium tires and tubes worth \$139 after having a blowout one night.

Lawyers In Divorce Suit to Fight Duel

MEXICO CITY (P)—Rosita Fornes, a pretty Cuban dancer, got a divorce from her Mexican husband, and the lawyers took the case pretty seriously.

So today Rosita's lawyer wants to fight a pistol duel with the husband's lawyer.

Victor Velazquez, one of Mexico's leading attorneys who represented the husband, rather sharply criticized the professional conduct of Rosita's lawyer.

So, Velazquez said, three men came last night to his house and said they brought a challenge from Rosita's attorney to shoot it out.

Velazquez said no.

Duels are forbidden by Mexican law, he said. Besides, the code of honor also forbids duels over court matters.

He would not fight the duel, he said.

He told all this to the three men. They went away.

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Political Round-up--

Russell May Grab Demo Banner From Kefauver

By The Associated Press

Sen. Richard Russell of Georgia, in entering the Democratic presidential race, may have snatched the Dixie banner from Tennessee's candidate Estes Kefauver.

Moreover, Russell is seen as a threat to President Truman himself if the President decides to run again. Truman said yesterday he won't make his plans known before about March 29 at the earliest.

Russell, popular 54-year-old bachelor, already has received favorable reactions from governors of South Carolina, Georgia, Virginia, and Mississippi, and probably will get the support of the Texas governor who has been urging him to run. He has the backing of a dozen Southern senators.

This support for the Georgian, who described himself as a "Jeffersonian Democrat who believes in the greatest practicable degree of local self-government," is far more potent than the leadership which sparked the 1948 States Rights revolt.

Can Strengthen Harry

However, his entry into the race strengthens Truman's hand in one way: If the President doesn't run and backs Gov. Adlai Stevenson of Illinois, the governor might find his cause helped by a possible three-way split in the South.

Kefauver publicly welcomed Russell's entry into the Democratic race. He said it would bring a new discussion of issues, which is a healthy thing.

Taft Wants 4 In N. H.

Other political developments: Sen. Robert Taft of Ohio, a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, said in Cleveland he hoped to win four of New Hampshire's 14 delegates to the GOP National Convention.

At the same time, he protested his position on the New Hampshire ballot—last, because names are listed alphabetically, putting Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Harold E. Stassen, and a St. Louis attorney, William R. Schneider, ahead of him. His objection was turned down.

Warren Into Wis. Race

Gov. Earl Warren of California, another announced GOP aspirant, entered the April 1 Wisconsin primary. Taft, Stassen and a backer of Gen. Douglas MacArthur also are entered.

A full slate of 30 delegate candidates was entered for Warren in Wisconsin, but leaders said there was an understanding they would switch to Eisenhower at the convention if Warren's chances fade.

Not In Minn. Contest

From Minnesota came word that the names of neither Eisenhower nor Kefauver will appear on the March 18 Minnesota presidential primary election ballots. This means Stassen, former Minnesota governor, will fight it out with a MacArthur backer for the state's GOP delegates, and Sen. Humphrey D-Minn. will be alone on the Democratic ballot.

Kefauver originally was entered, but didn't want to buck Humphrey.

Sen. Duff R-Pa., an Eisenhower supporter said bitterly on a political program televised from Washington that anti-Eisenhower pamphlets being distributed over the country are "the most scandalous un-Americanism I ever heard of." They caricature the general being decorated by Stalin and carry a caption indicating Eisenhower "served him well."

32 More Casualties

WASHINGTON (P)—The Defense Department today identified 32 more battle casualties in Korea in a new list (No. 510) that reported six killed, 24 wounded and two injured. It also listed six dead who were previously reported wounded.



The person who saves for a rainy day gets nothing but stormy weather reports from the relatives.



Senator Richard B. Russell (above) of Georgia, announced in Washington that he will seek the Democratic nomination for president. Russell, second Democrat to make formal entrance in the race, cast himself as a "Jeffersonian Democrat who believes in the greatest practicable degree of local self-government." Senator Estes Kefauver, of Tennessee, is the other announced candidate. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Acheson Carries His Appeal to US Tonight

WASHINGTON, — (P) — Secretary of State Dean Acheson carries to the country tonight his appeal for support of more billions for foreign aid. He is expected to

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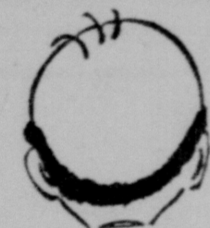
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Coffin Opened, Young Widow Learns Veteran Of Korea Was Husband

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (P) — Mrs. Peggy Paulsen, a widow at 19, yesterday found her worst fears confirmed when the coffin of her husband, slain in Korea, was opened as she prayed in a nearby room.

Mrs. Paulsen was hoping against hope that conflicting stories of how her husband, Robert, 21, was killed in Korea, Sept. 2, were all wrong. She had asked that the casket be opened, "just to be sure it's him."

"I'm satisfied it's Bob," a cousin, Robert Wing, told her as he came from the room at a local mortuary where Robert's body lay.

"Oh God! They killed him. They killed him," she gasped, then fell into the arms of her dead husband's brother.

Detroit's Acting Mayor Observes 11th Birthday

DETROIT (P) — Detroit's acting mayor of Thursday celebrated her 11th birthday today.

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and Council President Louis Mirani was vacationing.

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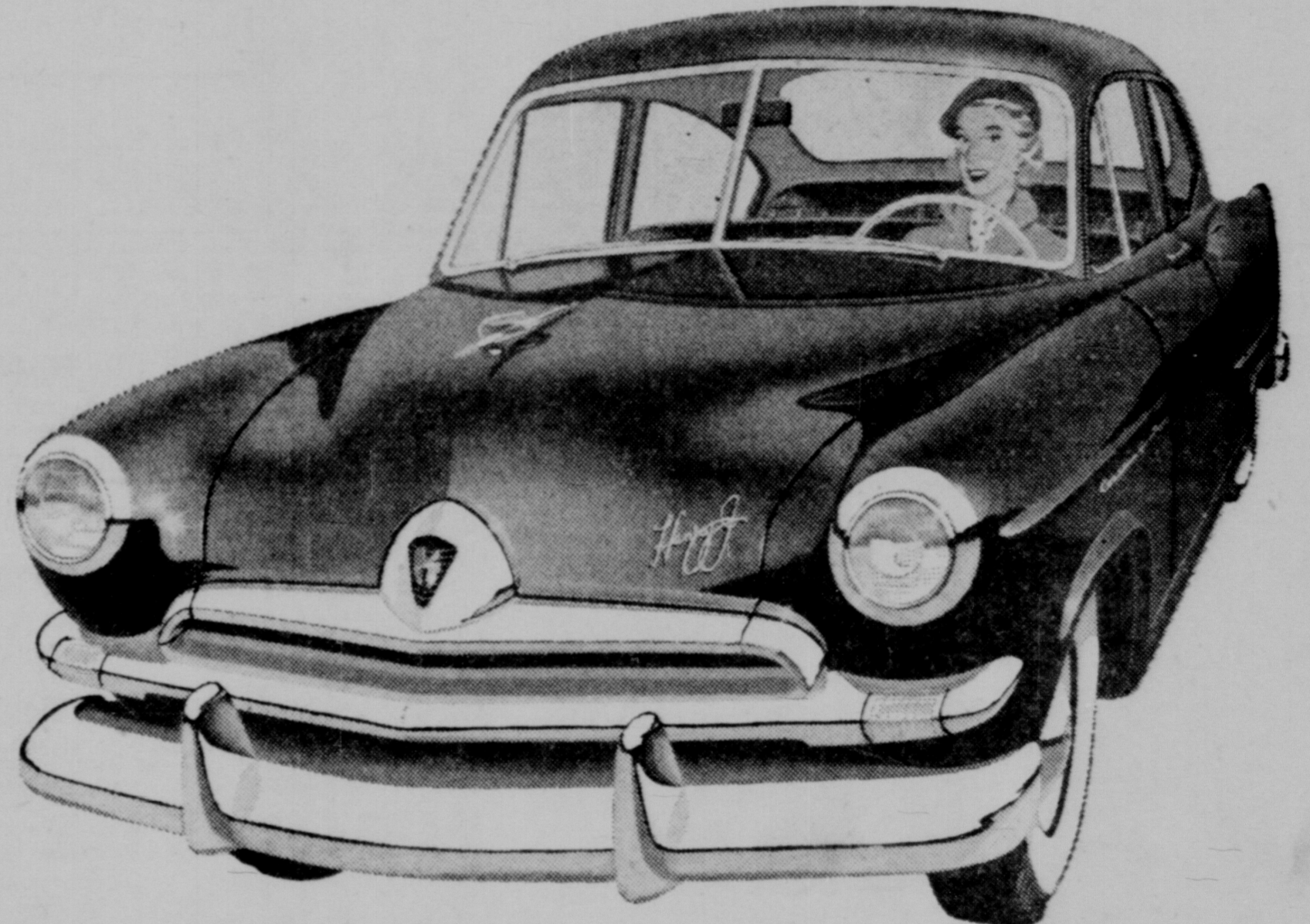
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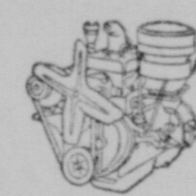
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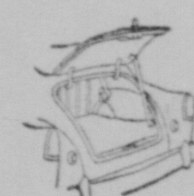
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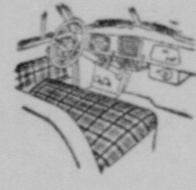
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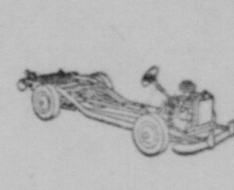
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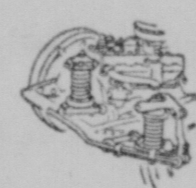
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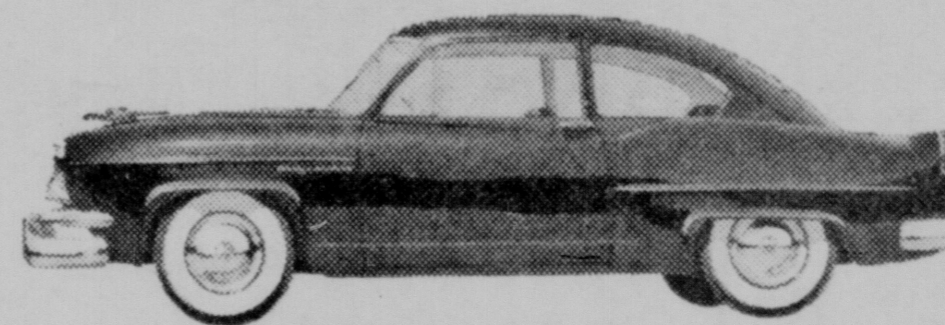
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Envoys Discuss PW Swap

Headmen Take-Over Long-Term Deadlock; No Progress Listed On Supervision Tie

MUNSAN, Korea, Friday, Feb. 29 (P)—Senior armistice delegates today take over the long-deadlocked issue of exchanging prisoners. The Allies again asked the Reds to swap complete information on all POW's.

The Panmunjom meeting at 8 p.m., CST, Thursday brings together U. S. Rear Adm. R. E. Libby and Korean Red Maj. Gen. Lee Sang Cho, acting as sub-committees of one for the full delegations.

Staff officers stalemated on the truce supervision issues scheduled a session at the same time. They are deadlocked, among other things, on the Reds insistence that Russia be accepted as a neutral nation to help police a truce.

The prisoner exchange issue was re-referred to the senior delegates after Thursday's fruitless meetings. Staff officers have reached virtual agreement on all points except the issue of voluntary repatriation of prisoners.

Reds Would Ignore Wishes
The Communists insist that all prisoners be returned regardless of individual wishes. The staff officers spent 22 days debating the issue.

The Reds gave no indication comply with the Allies proposal for an exchange of "complete data" on "all prisoners of war ever held by either side."

Col. James Murray, Allied staff officer, reminded the Communists that the prisoner list handed the United Nations command last December accounted for about 11,500, and added:

"On Jan. 1 you stated that you had put in order data on all prisoners of war captured by your side during the course of hostilities. This included approximately 50,000 persons, formerly military personnel on our side, for whom no accounting has been given."

He said the Red truce delegation contended later that thousands of prisoners had been released "at the front." This was taken to mean Republic of Korea soldiers who were captured and then incorporated into the North Korean Red army.

Allies Prepare Data
Murray told the Reds the Allies were prepared to give them supplementary and complete data on all prisoners "taken by our side through Jan. 31."

Chinese Col. Tsai Cheng-Wen replied only: "Your side has to report all prisoners of war in your camps immediately—that is your duty as well as your obligation."

The Chinese also rejected the Allied reply to the Communist protest against Feb. 18 rioting of civilian internees at the U. N. prison camp on Kojima Island.

UN Planes Rip Red Lifelines

SEOUL, Korea, Friday, Feb. 29 (P)—Allied fighters and light bombers blasted new holes in the Communist supply lines in North Korea Thursday, but light patrol contact marked the ground action.

There was some artillery and mortar fire.

Sleek U. S. F-86 Sabrejets hunted for MIGs on the south side of the winding Yalu river, boundary of Manchuria but the Reds stayed home.

That left the U. S. Fifth Air Force free to concentrate again on "Operation Strangle"—the hard-hitting bombing and strafing attack aimed at choking off Red lifelines from Manchuria.

Some 625 sorties were flown up to 6 p.m. Thursday, and black P-26 lightnings were out after that hour searching for Red convoys which normally move at night.

More than six months of constant attack on Communist rail networks has reduced the main communication line from Manchuria to a one-track route, except for one section just south of the Yalu—at Antung.

The Reds have had to "cannibalize" track from one line to keep the other open along the normal double-track system.

Two Die In Wreck Near Independence

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., Feb. 28 (P)—A truck driver and a three-year-old child were killed today in a truck-auto collision on U. S. highway 71 near Independence.

Police said the truck driver was Owen Coleman, 38, of Kansas City.

His machine collided with a car driven by Frank Larkin, 29, III, of Courtney, Mo. Larkin escaped injury, but his three-year-old daughter, Rose, was killed.

Larkin's wife, Martha, 24, and another child, five-year-old Ann, suffered head injuries. They were taken to an Independence hospital.

23 Die In Crash Of Brazil Plane
RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Feb. 28 (P)—Dispatches from Belo Horizonte today said 23 persons were killed and 14 injured in the crash of a Panair do Brasil plane near Uberlandia, in the Brazilian state of Minas Gerais.

Warren Talks On Soil



Governor Earl G. Warren of California, above, addressing delegates of the National Association of Soil Conservation districts at a meeting in Cleveland, sounded a note of warning on the nation's resources.

Women To Get Their Chance To Run City

BROOKFIELD, Mo., Feb. 28 (P)—The women who have been advising the men how to run things will get their chance here tomorrow.

They're taking over this city of 7,000. And the women have indicated they'll go all out with no back talk during their Leap Year's Day regime.

Figuring they can't get all their business done in one session of the City Council, the women have scheduled two such sessions.

There will be four sessions of police court. Women will run some of the stores. Lady cops will enforce traffic laws. They'll even climax the day's activities with a wedding at which a woman minister will officiate.

Leap Year's Day cops have been instructed by the lady mayor-for-a-day, Mrs. Gene Kincaid, not to wink at driving infractions by the men. A temporary jail has been installed on Main street.

Along with the fun there is a more serious purpose in letting the women take the whiphand. Fines levied against offenders will be earmarked for charity funds.

And to that end the lady police judge, Mrs. May Amos, has indicated she will dispense justice where it hurts the most—in the pocket book.

Foremost among the laws the ladies have laid down is that the men folks must wear either aprons or dresses. And the men must take part in the parade. Some of them—the bosses—will be led down the street with a rope in the hands of women employees.

A public wedding and a square dance will climax the day's proceedings. The Rev. Geeda Christy of Linneus will officiate at the wedding of Rondal Fanning of Browning, and Miss Carol Jacobs of Green City.

All in all, say the women, it will be Brookfield's biggest day since the old Hannibal & St. Joseph put this city on the map in 1859.

Jury Indicts Young On 4th Perjury Count

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (P)—E. Merl Young, former Reconstruction Finance Corporation employee, was re-indicted for perjury by a federal grand jury today.

Young, whose wife's \$9,450 mink coat made headlines last year, was charged with lying to a Senate committee investigating alleged influence in the making of RFC loans.

Young, 38, and three others originally were indicted for perjury in connection with the Senate hearings last Dec. 19. All have pleaded innocent.

Officials explained today that the new indictment against Young was for the purpose of increasing the perjury counts against him from three to four.

Local Red Cross Drive Opens With Its Annual Fund Dinner

The kick-off for the Red Cross drive for the Pettis County chapter was held at the First Methodist church Thursday night with the annual meeting and fund dinner.

Eighty persons attended and heard Joseph R. Stewart, past chapter chairman of the Kansas City and Jackson county chapter, and present chairman of the national convention, make the principal address of the evening.

Reports on the various Red Cross programs for 1951 were given.

Philip McLaughlin, Pettis county chapter chairman, announced the following divisional chairmen: John Hurley, business; P.T.A. groups, residence; Virgil Ragar, county; T. R. "Dick" Snow, industrial; Heber Hunt, teachers; Carl Urban, court-house; Mrs. Kingsbury and Mrs. Burrell, north Sedalia; and Philip McLaughlin, advance.

Directors Approved
Harry Brunkhorst submitted names for the board of directors, which were approved by acclamation. Directors are as follows: the Rev. W. P. Arnold, Ray Hatfield, William E. Hurlbut, Jr., Judge J. V. Kesterson, Miss Nettie

Lattimore Lamblasts His Foes

Professor Resorts To Name-Calling At Red Hearing

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (P)—Owen Lattimore, in angry and bitter debate with members of a Senate investigating committee today, called Senator McCarthy (R-Wis) "A graduate witch burner" and referred to Harold E. Stassen as "slippery."

The outspoken professor from Johns Hopkins University also said Senator Knowland (R-Calif.) is a member of the Nationalist China lobby, saying he was sometimes called "the Senator from Formosa."

Senator Ferguson (R-Mich), a member of the committee, quickly suggested that such an accusation is in accord with "the Communist line."

And Chairman McCarran (D-Nev) broke into observe sarcastically: "Everybody is in bad faith except Mr. Lattimore."

It was Lattimore's third—and by far his stormiest—appearance before the Senate Internal Security subcommittee to defend himself against charges of holding Red sympathies.

McCarthy made charge being Russia's top spy in this country, and Stassen, a Republican presidential aspirant, has named him as the leader of a group which Stassen said advocated a 10-point program favorable to Red China at a State Department Conference in 1949.

McCarran said he thought Lattimore was charging Stassen with perjury in his testimony today.

But Lattimore replied that he was charging Stassen, whom he termed "a perpetual presidential candidate," with "irresponsibility." Stassen testified against Lattimore before the committee last fall.

Lattimore claimed the transcript of the roundtable discussion at the State Department showed that he had not advocated any of the 10 points.

Ferguson demanded to know if he was accusing Stassen of "bad faith."

"No," Lattimore replied, "I don't accuse Stassen of anything except trying to get on in this world."

Reading from his prepared statement, which he started two days ago, Lattimore said that after the State Department transcript was made public Stassen "tried to escape on the flying trapeze, as if he were a road show McCarthy."

"Why does a man of Stassen's stature engage in irresponsible and false accusations of pro-Communist views?" he asked.

"Is this committee lending itself to the encouragement of such destructive activities by the politically ambitious, the fellow travelers of witch-burners, the insect and the vain and ambitious?"

Stassen Follows McCarthy
Lattimore was asked if he was referring to Stassen. He replied that "Stassen was traveling along with McCarthy, and McCarthy is a graduate witch burner."

Breaking in, Ferguson asked if he meant to accuse the Wisconsin senator of bad faith. McCarthy was a spectator at the hearing.

"I think McCarthy is capable of bad faith," Lattimore responded. He repeated that he did not make the charge against Stassen, although he referred to his as "slippery."

At times the hearing was in an uproar as Lattimore, an occasional State Department consultant on Far Eastern affairs in the past, voiced his opinions and was frequently rebuked by the senators for what he said.

Even Eskimos Like Ike

SHISHMAROFF, Alaska, Feb. 28 (P)—Eskimos in this tiny Arctic village 125 miles from Russian Siberia have organized an "Ike-for-President" club.

Leaders, who listen to the radio regularly, are urging the voters to get behind General Eisenhower's candidacy even though as Alaskans they cannot vote.

Alleged Red Teacher At Hearing



Mrs. Eleanor Jaffrey Cook Maki, Detroit school teacher who disappeared after she was named a Communist by a former FBI undercover agent, is shown as she unexpectedly showed up at a hearing conducted in Detroit by a House Un-American Activities committee investigating Communist activities in the city. With her is her husband, Dr. Thomas Maki, who also is her attorney.

Note From Dog Proves A Statement Of Fact

MONROVIA, Calif., Feb. 28 (P)—A rock thudded against the police station door at 4 a. m. today. Attached to the missile Police Sgt. Mel Long found this scribbled note:

"I have just escaped from the city pound. Blackie, the pup."

Thinking it the work of a prankster, the sergeant returned to his desk.

This morning poundmaster Howard Roberts found a note tied to the pound fence. It read:

"You can't keep me in your pound, Blackie."

Sure enough, a stray pup, mostly terrier, was missing from his pen.

Oil Workers Delay Strike For One Week

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (P)—CIO, AFL independent oil workers agreed tonight to a one-week postponement of a threatened nationwide strike which had been set for Sunday midnight.

Federal Mediation Chief Cyrus S. Ching announced the postponement after a full day of negotiations. Ching met first with the oil workers unions, then with top officials of some seven big oil companies.

Involved in the threatened strike, which might cut off most of the nation's oil production, are the CIO oil workers and 22 independent and AFL unions.

Ching said a strike, if it took place, would have an "immediate" effect on the nation's auto drivers.

He said the Mediation Service would start immediately to "intensity" its efforts in the field to reach new contract agreements.

However, some observers felt the stage was being set to send the dispute to the Wage Stabilization Board for a recommended settlement. That would require action by President Truman.

O. A. Knight, head of the CIO oil workers, read a statement following Ching's announcement. It was also signed by J. J. McKenna, representing independent unions and O. V. Clover, representing AFL unions.

The statement said the unions reserve the right to "institute immediate strike action against any or all of the companies" if the companies "utilize the additional time for the purpose of bringing in strike breakers or preparing for their maintenance within strike-bound plants."

Knight said "one of two places" already show preparations for what he called company attempts to break the threatened strike.

Soldier's Wife Found Dead At Fort Riley
FORT RILEY, Kas., Feb. 28 (P)—Mrs. Dorothy Mae Taylor, 31, wife of an Army officer was found shot to death in the couple's quarters at Camp Whittier.

Military police said they were called to the home by Mrs. Anna E. Lemeris, a neighbor, who had missed Mrs. Taylor. The body was found in a closet of the apartment. She had been shot twice in the chest. A .32 caliber pistol was on the lap of the body.

The husband, Capt. Andrew J. Taylor, a company commander in the 10th Division, was on field maneuvers at the time. Besides her husband Mrs. Taylor is survived by two children, Sherry Lee, 5, and Jack Morris, 3.

The provost marshal said records at the post failed to show the couple's former home.

180 Bodies Return To US
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28 (P)—The funeral ship Grove City Victory arrived here today with the flag draped caskets of 180 Americans who lost their lives in the Korean war.

The vessel went to the Oakland Army base to discharge the bodies for the last leg of their long, final trip home.

A military escort will accompany each body to the point designated by the next of kin.

US Threatens To Prosecute Witness In Communist Trial

DETROIT, Feb. 28 (P)—A defiant witness was threatened with possible federal prosecution for fraud and a university woman student was suspended as an outgrowth of today's Communism inquiry.

Wayne university tonight suspended brunet Lorraine Faxon Meisner, 21, the coed who refused to answer questions from House un-American committee investigators.

President David D. Henry of Wayne told Mrs. Meisner her refusal indicated "either an unreasonable refusal to cooperate or a prima facie admission of criminal action on your part."

Dr. Henry's assertion was contained in a telegram to Mrs. Meisner and which the university made public.

A few hours earlier Mrs. Meisner had been rebuked on the witness stand for her attitude.

The other unwilling witnesses figured in incidents in the aftermath to their refusal to talk on the stand.

Artist Loses Job
One, a newspaper artist, was severed from his job. The second, a factory worker, was taken out of his plant by indignant fellow workers. Both had refused to say whether they were or had been Communists.

Meanwhile, the subcommittee conducting the hearing gave up any attempt to conclude by tomorrow. The group will recommend to the full committee that the hearing be resumed March 10.

Hardly half of the listed 40 witnesses had taken the stand as the fourth day of the hearing was finished.

The fraud prosecution was threatened against Patrick Rice, vice president of the CIO United Auto Workers' huge Ford local 600.

Rep. Potter (R-Mich) said that Rice's testimony relative to his application for a passport to visit Europe would be examined with the possibility it would be turned over to the Department of Justice.

Rice's Application A Fraud
Potter said that, according to Rice's testimony, he had committed fraud in the application.

The newspaper artist who was severed from his job was Joseph Bernstein, 42, employee of the Detroit News for 23 years. The News made no comment except to say Bernstein is now a "former employee."

Bernstein said "I guess I was dismissed." He said he got severance pay and vacation pay in his last pay check.

Paul Henley, 50, an unwilling witness yesterday, was escorted from his job by 150 fellow workers in Chrysler Corp's Dodge engine plant. He said the workers threatened him.

Man Tries To Leave Mexico With 130 Pounds In Gold Coin
MEXICO CITY, Feb. 28 (P)—Customs officials said today they had arrested a man bound for Central America with about \$76,000 worth of Mexican gold coins in a special vest.

The coins weighed 130 pounds. Mexico does not forbid the export of gold but requires a special license for it.

March Wheat Leads Grain Price Advance
CHICAGO, Feb. 28 (P)—Most grains ended higher on the Board of Trade today, continuing the rally of yesterday. Dealings were much less active than in the previous session.

Most strength was shown by wheat, particularly the March contract. In contrast, corn was quite weak, ending fractionally lower after having sold down more than a cent early. However, neither corn nor anything else broke the lows early yesterday.

Wheat closed $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ higher, corn $\frac{1}{4}$ higher, rye $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{4}$ higher, and soybeans $\frac{1}{4}$ lower to $\frac{1}{2}$ higher.

Expectations of export business later this week or early next week coupled with rumors that 250,000 bushels of red wheat had been sold out of Chicago, backgrounded the buying in wheat. The latter item was of particular importance in the March contract.

Corn again had to absorb quite a little hedging pressure as high moisture grain continued to come here in fair-sized quantities.

Oats acted better than corn, as was also the case yesterday.

Fulton Youth Wins Legion Speech Test
HANNIBAL, Mo., Feb. 28 (P)—Alan Kimbrell, Fulton high school student, won the first zone American Legion contest tonight. He spoke on a constitution for the world.

Roy Griggs of Hannibal was second. Kimbrell will represent the zone at the state finals March 28 in Jefferson City.

But Third Party Question Not Answered

Sen. Russell Puts His Name In Race; South Backs Him

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (P)—Senator Richard B. Russell of Georgia got into the race for the Democratic presidential nomination today but left unanswered the question whether he will bolt if the prize goes to President Truman.

The 54-year old balding senator automatically became a major candidate of the southern anti-Truman Democratic faction which has fought the President's Civil Rights program and has pledged itself to block his re-election.

But Russell himself gave no direct answer to the chief issue implied in his entry into the race: Will he lead a third party of some kind if Truman gets the nomination that seems his for the asking?

Observing that he didn't bolt in 1948 when the States Right ticket took 39 electoral votes from Truman, Russell told a crowded, televised news conference:

"I refer anyone to my record for regularity but I do not put party above country."

Hopes Far From Bright
Conceding that his hopes of winning the nomination are not bright, Russell insisted that if he gets it he could win in November.

Although Senator George (D-Ga) described Russell as a non-sectional candidate, it was evident that some of the Georgian's supporters hoped his entry would have the effect of serving notice on Truman that he faces well-organized, politically-smart opposition if he runs.

Others seemed to fear Russell's entry might spur the President to get into the race out of pique.

Any southern bolt after the Democratic National Convention would be aimed at throwing the election into the House of Representatives, where each state would have one vote.

In response to a question whether he will withdraw if the President doesn't run, Russell said he is entering the race "without any contingencies." He didn't go as far as Senator Kefauver of Tennessee has in saying that he is "in to the finish."

Russell said he doesn't know Truman's plans but he predicted the President won't run.

Other political developments: 1. Harold E. Stassen brought to Washington his campaign for the Republican Presidential nomination with a speech he described as the most important of his campaign.

Warren To Test Wisconsin
2. Gov. Earl Warren of California officially entered the Wisconsin primary on April 1.

Also entered in the Wisconsin primary are states pledged to Taft, Stassen, and Grant Ritter, a favorite son for Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

3. Senator Nixon (R-Calif) said after a talk with Stassen that Stassen is thinking of entering the California primary. Nixon is backing Warren, who is entered in the June 3 primary.

4. The Minnesota supreme court handed down rulings which mean that Eisenhower's and Kefauver's names will not be on ballots in the state primary on March 18. That leaves Senator Humphrey of Minnesota unopposed as a favorite son on the Democratic side. The GOP primary will be between Stassen and Edward C. Slettedahl, state chairman of "Fighters for MacArthur."

US Movie Causes A Riot In Italy
ROME, Feb. 28 (P)—Disorders in which 10 persons were arrested attended the opening of the American movie "The Desert Fox" at two Rome theaters tonight.

The picture concerns the career of Field Marshal Erwin Rommel, who commanded Axis forces in North Africa in World War II.

Police intervened when groups in front of the theaters jostled those who entered and shouted that the film was an insult to Italy's national honor.

St. Draws The Line
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 28 (P)—A woman filed suit for divorce today, listing among the reasons: Her husband had purchased "an engagement ring for his fiancée."

Governor Expects Armstrong To Assist On Redistricting
JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 28 (P)—Gov. Forrester Smith said tonight he is expecting Congressman O. K. Armstrong here Monday in a last minute effort to solve the congressional redistricting squabble.

Smith said he got a telegram from the Springfield Republican earlier this week assuring him that Republican leaders hope to smooth out the partisan rift with Democratic legislative leaders Monday.

Armstrong told him, Smith said, that other congressmen from Missouri had agreed to let him represent them in the peacemaking effort.

Compromise May Come
The Republican telegram said the situation would discuss the situation and then confer with the Democratic lawmakers. If an agreement is reached, Armstrong's wire said, a new compromise redistricting bill would be drafted for a swift trip through both houses. He assured the governor that the necessary emergency clause would be added.

The clause—to make the bill immediately a law upon approval by the governor—requires a two-thirds approval in each house.

That would mean 103 affirmative votes in the House and 23 in the Senate.

Smith, meanwhile, has until next Thursday to sign the pending bill—the one that has "ruined all the trouble." It would give the Democrats nine of the Congressional districts, leaving the irate Republicans with only two, on the basis of the 1950 vote for Senator.

Smith said if an agreeable bill seems headed for success, he won't sign the other one.

GOP Committee Goes Ahead
The Republican state committee is proceeding with plans to refer the pending bill to a popular vote. That delay would force all congressional candidates to run at large this year. And both parties agree that would be "a mess."

Smith said Armstrong conferred with him at the executive mansion recently and after that had a talk with State Sen. Richard J. Chabrier (D) of Moberly, majority floor leader in the Senate.

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Sizemores Have 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sizemore, 408 South Baccok, observed their 50th wedding anniversary Friday, Feb. 22.

The couple was married Feb. 22, 1902 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Tucker, at Petagru, Ark.

They have six children, James Sizemore, Omaha, Neb.; Mrs. George Jackson, Kansas City; Fred Sizemore, Mrs. Evelyn Brown, Joe Sizemore and Mrs. Edith Jarvis, all of Sedalia. They also have 17 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Valentine Party By Beta Tau Chapter, BSP

The annual Valentine party of the Beta Tau chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority was held Thursday, Feb. 14, at the home of Miss Pauline Milburn, 1327 East Ninth.

The guest speaker, Gene Kent, gave an interesting and educational talk on "Flower Arrangement." As each girl entered the house, they took a small heart from a Valentine tree.

Following the short business meeting, the evening was spent in playing cards. High winners were Mrs. Gentry Patterson, Mrs. Rudy Grother, Miss Lois Gordon and Mrs. Billy Padgett.

Exchanging of Valentine gifts and drawing names for secret pals was one of the exciting times of the evening.

A bouquet of red carnations was presented to the president, Miss Joan Moore, in appreciation of the fine work she has done so far this year.

The hostesses for the evening were Miss Jean Sullivan, Miss Lois Gordon and Miss Pauline Milburn.

Dorothy Monsees A Recent Bride

Miss Dorothy Monsees, 300 East Fifth, became the bride of Charles McFarrich, Kansas City, at 4:30 in the afternoon Saturday, Feb. 16, at the East Sedalia Baptist church.

The Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony.

They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Benins, Kansas City. Prior to her marriage the bride was employed by the Schien Truck Lines. Mr. McFarrich is employed by the Missouri Pacific railroad in Kansas City. The couple will make their home in Kansas City.

Brick Extension Club Exchanges Valentines

Members of the Brick Extension club of Otterville enjoyed a contributive luncheon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Parsons recently. Thirteen members and eight children were present. Mrs. Grace Leepers was assistant hostess.

Following the luncheon, the business meeting was held. Roll call was answered with the exchange of homemade valentines. The lesson given by Mrs. Clyde Paul was entitled "It's a Family Affair." Yearbooks were completed.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Harry Broder-sons, March 18.

Pleasant Green 4-Hers Plan Achievement Week

Th Pleasant Green 4-H club met at the school, Feb. 20 and heard the council meeting report as given by the president, Miss Betty Bre-shers. Plans were made for the program for national achievement week which will be presented at the local PTA program.

Eleven members and 15 guests enjoyed the Valentine party and social hour.

The next meeting will be at the school March 19 with the Chevaliers as hosts. Plans will be completed for the national achievement week program and the membership drive will be completed.



GOING TO GERMANY—Miss Barbara Aven, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Aven, 511 West Fifth, who has been secretary to Pres. Rees Hughes of the Kansas State Teachers college at Pittsburg, Kas., and has resigned and soon will leave for Germany. Recently she accepted a position under civil service with the army engineers and is now awaiting port call. Her orders are to report to Heidelberg, Germany, which will be in the next 30 days, and she will be reassigned from there. Miss Aven is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school, of KSCC, Warrensburg and of KSTC, Pittsburg.



Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams, Green Ridge, are today observing their 50th wedding anniversary by holding open house at their home from 1 until 4 o'clock. They were married Feb. 19, 1902 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Warren, near Manila. For many years they were farmers in the Manila and Green Ridge communities and since have resided at Green Ridge. (Photo by Coles)

Special Numbers Planned For County Plays Programs

The dramatics committee of the Pettis County Extension Club council has planned many special numbers to be presented before and between plays of the County Clubs, sponsored by the extension club to be presented at Smith-Cotton high school in Sedalia on March 3, 4 and 5.

At present, there are ten plays listed and the tentative program is as follows:

Monday, March 3: Green Ridge club; Oak Point play; trio, Trout sisters, Betty, Mary and Rozella, accompanied by Miss Ann Harding; vocal solo, John Rundlett, accompanied by Mrs. John Rundlett; Skit, Anna Lee and Bob Harvey; vocal solo, Mrs. Davis Robb; Green Ridge play; vocal solo, Vionna Lou DeWitt; Bowling Green play.

Tuesday, March 4: Skit by RYO; Lookout Friendly Neighbors quartet; Mary Nelson high school quartet; Mary Vardeman, Clyde Harper, Elaine Doty, Don Kentz, accompanied by Beverly Tegmeyer; violin solo, Mary Frances Burlingame; Mapewood play; skit, Owen Tevis, Mrs. Bob Brown and Mrs. Everett Koeley; Prairie Ridge play.

Wednesday, March 5: Prologue to minstrel, Mapewood 4-H club; High Point 18 and the Clifton City 4-H club and the officers of the Boonville extension office will be guests. Play: selections from minstrel; Quisenberry play; selections from minstrel; La Monte play; finale of minstrel; judges' decision.

Thursday, March 6: Skit by RYO; Lookout Friendly Neighbors quartet; Mary Nelson high school quartet; Mary Vardeman, Clyde Harper, Elaine Doty, Don Kentz, accompanied by Beverly Tegmeyer; violin solo, Mary Frances Burlingame; Mapewood play; skit, Owen Tevis, Mrs. Bob Brown and Mrs. Everett Koeley; Prairie Ridge play.

Friday, March 7: Prologue to minstrel, Mapewood 4-H club; High Point 18 and the Clifton City 4-H club and the officers of the Boonville extension office will be guests. Play: selections from minstrel; Quisenberry play; selections from minstrel; La Monte play; finale of minstrel; judges' decision.

Rosilea Stark Given Shower

Miss Rosilea Stark, bride-to-be, was the recipient of a lovely pre-nuptial shower held at the home of Mrs. Ethel Sims and Miss Ruth Hamlin, Green Ridge, Feb. 15.

The home was attractively decorated with red and white carnations, in keeping with Valentine Day. A large silver heart with a red and white carnation flower arrangement was the center of attraction on the mantel. The home was decorated throughout with potted plants.

Games appropriate to Valentine Day made the evening pass all too quickly.

A large, old fashioned valentine box decorated in white with a large heart, saying "Rosilea and Byron" was pulled into the living room by little Charlene Wisdom and Judy Kay Ray. After an appropriate presentation speech by Miss Ruth Hamlin, Rosilea opened the valentine box and found an exquisite array of lovely gifts from her friends.

Refreshments carrying out the motif and colors of valentine were served from the lace-covered table in the dining room which was centered with red and white carnations in a silver bowl. Coffee was served from an heirloom silver service.

Longwood Club Makes Cookies for Nursery

At the Feb. 5 meeting of the Longwood Extension club, members brought cookies and candy for the Melita Day Nursery. This is an annual affair.

Roll call was answered by reading a verse off a homemade valentine. The devotion was given by Mrs. Tom Raines. A report on "Echoes from Farmer's Forum" was given by Mrs. Clay Schroeder. Mrs. Tom Harvey gave a report on "Family Affairs." Ten dollars was donated to the March of Dimes.

A social hour was held after the meeting. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Russell Evans on March 4. The program subject will be "Horticulture."

Assembly Points Up Catholic Book Week

To commemorate Catholic Book Week, the junior class of Sacred Heart high school gave a skit entitled "Library Fantasy." In the form of a broadcast, they presented it before the assembly on Thursday morning, Feb. 21.

The students impersonated the following literary characters: Shylock, Cedric, Eppie, Evangeline, Phoebe, Madame Defarge, Tom Sawyer, Huckleberry Finn, Jo and Amy March and Sheen Hensleigh.

The two narrators were Annette Moser and Vernon Steffen.

Newlyweds Have Shower

A shower was given Friday night, Feb. 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clark, northwest of LaMonte, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Leroy Lunsford, who were married recently. Co-hostesses were: Mrs. Henry Koelling, Mrs. Ed Koelling, Mrs. Hays Martin, Mrs. Earl Clevenger, Mrs. E. F. Patterson and Mrs. Bill Patterson.

Invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lunsford, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Koelling and Lois, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koelling, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Gussie Whittall, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Whittall, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Tyler, Mrs. Gilbert Johnson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Winston, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clevenger, Mr. and Mrs. Hays Martin, Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Rissler, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Winston and family, Miss Lula Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Greer, Mr. and Mrs. Norvall Dirck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Strickland and Hallie, Mr. and Mrs. George Strickland and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Higgins and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Warren and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Peterson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Colwell, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Green and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green and Lonna, Lora Park, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Estes and Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Estes and Betty Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guier and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clevenger and Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patterson and Sharon, Misses Nadine and Fern Clevenger, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clark and Mary Lorene and Miss Ada French.

The tables were decorated in red, white and blue appropriate to Washington's birthday. Mr. Kroenke, a faithful member of Trinity church, is the only living member of the congregation. He and the late Mrs. Kroenke united with the congregation Nov. 23, 1894.

Special guests of the evening were his son, Leonard Kroenke and Mrs. Kroenke, his daughter, Mrs. George Trader and Mr. Trader.

Men's Choral Club Concert For Music Club

The Heleff G. Steele Music club presented the Sedalia Men's Choral club, under the direction of Abe Rosenthal, and two artists, members of the club, Mrs. Edythe Rose and Miss Mabel DeWitt, pianists, in an evening concert, Wednesday, Feb. 20.

The program, which was complimentary to the husbands of the members, is an annual event. A number of guests were present, including wives of the choral club men.

Mrs. E. F. Yancey, life president, presided and called on Mrs. Ross for an announcement of the concert piano program to be given on Feb. 27 at 2 p.m. Yancey then turned the program over to the chairman of the evening, Mrs. William Ward and Mrs. Philip McLaughlin.

A finely balanced group of choral numbers as chosen by Mr. Rosenthal was then presented and enthusiastically received by the audience. Miss Lillian Fox accompanied the choral club. The fine training which they receive, and the real interest and pleasure the men take in singing was evidenced by the excellent presentation of their numbers.

McNair Igintritz's "Hestation" and an Alice Templeton arrangement of "Swingin' Down the Lane," were played by Mrs. Ross and Miss DeWitt on the two concert grand pianos, with their usual fine balance and execution. The duo pianists received warm appreciation from the audience.

The choral club responded with two encores, "Stout Hearted Men" and "The Lord's Prayer" by Mattoe. Solo parts during the program were taken by Al Domingue and Chester Brown.

Otterville 4-H Club Has 48 In Attendance

The Otterville 4-H club enjoyed the regular monthly meeting with 48 members, leaders, parents and visitors present. Roll call was answered by giving names of famous people whose birthdays are in February and while many remember Washington and Lincoln several others were remembered.

Reports were given on the name plates for mail boxes which the club is sponsoring. Project reports were given and project meeting reports were also given. A donation was made to the March of Dimes. Jerry and Larry Romie spoke on "Feeding Wild Life" and Arthur Fry spoke on "Rat Control."

Sgt. Cheaten of the national guard, located in Sedalia, lectured on the safety of firearms.

Games were led by Mary Ellen Kuykendall and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Yount Tells Guild Of 'Hymns of Church'

The guild of the Congregational Presbyterian church met at the home of Dr. Glen Lindley, 814 West Fifth, Thursday at 2:30 p.m. The program for the afternoon featured a talk by Mrs. T. H. Yount entitled, "Hymns of the Church."

Club Observes Birthday

The Nautilus club of La Monte celebrated its 38th birthday with a party at the home of Miss Mamie Walker, Feb. 14. Seventeen members enjoyed a very interesting program.

Nuns Visit S-H School

Two Benedictine nuns, Sister Faith and Sister Juanita, visited at Sacred Heart high school Thursday, Feb. 21. As representatives of Mt. Scholastica college, Atchison, Kas., they addressed the senior and junior girls in regard to higher education.



Mrs. Hugh O'Daniels, who before her marriage on Feb. 18 was Mrs. Mildred Whaley. (Photo by Coles)

Trinity Church Honors Birthday Of H. Kroenke

A capacity crowd of members and friends of Trinity Lutheran church gathered for a dinner on Friday evening in honor of H. H. Kroenke on his 86th birthday. Leonard England led in the singing of "Happy Birthday" after which Allen Telford presented the honoree with a beautifully decorated birthday cake.

The tables were decorated in red, white and blue appropriate to Washington's birthday.

Mr. Kroenke, a faithful member of Trinity church, is the only living member of the congregation. He and the late Mrs. Kroenke united with the congregation Nov. 23, 1894.

Special guests of the evening were his son, Leonard Kroenke and Mrs. Kroenke, his daughter, Mrs. George Trader and Mr. Trader.

Church Wedding In Kansas City

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Lee Kuhr and Oliver Franklin Hook was solemnized at the St. George's Episcopal church in Kansas City on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 17, with the Rev. Charles R. Tyner, rector of the church, performing the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard M. Kuhr of Kansas City, a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cornell of Kansas City, formerly of Sedalia and a great granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Atkinson of Sedalia.

Mr. Hook is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Hook of Lee's Summit.

Mrs. James Atkinson of Sedalia as organist played the nuptial music.

White gladioli and ferns formed the altar setting and on either side of the chancel steps were standards of burning tapers.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a ballroom length gown of white nylon tulle and lace, styled with a fitted bodice and bouffant skirt. Her elbow-length French illusion net veil was held in place with a pearl headband. She carried a small white orchid.

Her sister, Miss Jane Kuhr, as maid of honor, wore a ballerina length gown of blue nylon tulle over blue tulle and carried a nosegay bouquet of white roses.

Miss Helen Kuhr, younger sister of the bride, lighted the candles. Her gown was of jonquil color.

Ralph Clifford Hook, Jr., Austin, Tex., served his brother as best man, and his son, Ralph Clifford Hook, III, was ringbearer. Two other brothers of the bridegroom, James E. Hook and Harold S. Hook, were ushers.

The bride's mother wore a mid-night blue silk print gown and carried yellow roses. The bridegroom's mother wore a brown sheer crepe and carried white roses.

Miss Kathryn B. Paladino and Miss Marie L. Stasi acted as the reception which was held at the parish house following the ceremony.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Colorado Springs. For traveling the bride wore a navy blue suit trimmed in white pique and navy blue accessories. They expected to be at home, 408 South Douglas, March 2.

The bride was graduated last June from St. Luke's hospital School of Nursing.

Mr. Hook was graduated from the University of Missouri in 1947 and served 27 months as an officer in the naval air corps.

Attending the wedding from Sedalia were Mr. and Mrs. James Atkinson and Miss Helen Cox.

Stover WMS to Observe The Week of Prayer

Next week, Monday through Friday, March 3-7, the women of the First Baptist church, Stover, will observe the WMSU Week of Prayer and Annie Armstrong offering for home missions. They will meet each day at 2 p.m.

The following women have very graciously opened their homes for these meetings for the different days: Monday, Mrs. Lawrence Mueller; Tuesday, Mrs. Ernest Hughes; Wednesday, Mrs. Beulah Fry; Thursday, Mrs. Charles Rapp; Friday, Mrs. Paul Wilson.

The program chairman, Mrs. Lawrence Mueller, is appointing a leader for each day's program. Those who do not have transportation are requested to notify Mrs. Roy F. Williams.

Libya is made up of three provinces, Tripolitania, Cyrenaica and Fezzan.

Dessert Bridge Honors Visitors

On Wednesday evening, Feb. 20, Mrs. Robert Hogan was guest of honor at a dessert bridge given at the home of Mrs. Fred Kuhlman, 222 East Fourth. Mrs. Hogan is house guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Sullivan while her husband, Cpl. Robert G. Hogan, is with the Seventh Army stationed at Stuttgart, Germany.

Miss Joan Wodicka and Miss Rosemary Dickman assisted in the dining room where the guests were served. Decorations in the home were commemorative of George Washington's birthday.

During the evening, bridge was played with prizes awarded to Mrs. Charles Pierson and Miss Joyce Kubli. Mrs. Hogan was also presented with a gift.

Those present were: Mrs. H. J. Arens, Mrs. Charles Pierson, Mrs. Felix Sullivan, Mrs. Charles Well, Miss Rosemary Dickman, Miss Joyce Kubli, Miss Joan Wodicka and Mrs. Robert Hogan.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Davis, 616 East 15th, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Betty Jo, to Lloyd G. Holman, Kansas City, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Holman, route 5.

The wedding will take place April 13 at the East-Sedalia Baptist church.

Organization Plans Banquet

The Women of the Moose, No. 1242, met Tuesday evening, Feb. 26, in the Moose Home, with 26 members attending.

Mrs. E. W. Brown, senior regent, presided over the meeting at which time a donation was made to the Red Cross.

The ritual chapter night program chairman, Mrs. James Gregory, introduced P. A. Sillers, principal of Horace Hann school, who spoke and showed pictures on "Physical Fitness."

The first birthday banquet of the Women of the Moose, No. 1242, will be held March 13 in the Moose Home and will be only for members of the organization and their families. Members of the banquet committee are as follows: Mrs. Roy Crouch, Mrs. Roy Taylor, Mrs. James Gregory, Mrs. Lawrence Stephenson and Mrs. Campbell Berry.

Mrs. Brown, the senior regent, announced that committee chairman, Mrs. Roy Crouch, hospital; Mrs. Harry Satterwhite, membership; and Mrs. Brent Samuels, refreshments.

The next regular meeting will be March 13 at 8 p.m. in the Moose Home and it is important that every member attend. Final arrangements for the banquet will be made at this meeting.

T. J. Williams Visited by 60 On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams of Green Ridge held open house Sunday, Feb. 24, from 1 until 4 o'clock in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary which occurred Feb. 19.

The home was attractively decorated with cut flowers. The coffee table in the living room held an arrangement of daffodils and tall-man roses.

The centerpiece for the lace covered table in the dining room was an arrangement of yellow snazadrons, daffodils and various carnations in the shades of the tallman rose. Tall yellow tapers in double crystal holders were on either side.

All of their children were at home: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams and two sons of Independence, Mrs. F. C. Close and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Williams and sons, Bob and Don, and daughter, Shirley.

Mrs. Close, Mrs. Harley Williams and Mrs. Roy Williams assisted in serving refreshments to the guests. Miss Shirley Williams was in charge of the guest book.

There were approximately 60 relatives and friends present, including several from Sedalia and La Monte who called to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Williams. They were the recipients of several nice gifts.



Miss Betty Jo Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Davis, 616 East 15th, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Lloyd G. Holman, Kansas City, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Holman, route 5, is announced by her parents. (Photo by Lehmer Studio.)

GREEN RIDGE Day Of Prayer In Joint Service At Green Ridge

By Mrs. Verna Palmer

GREEN RIDGE—World Day of Prayer services will be held jointly by the Baptist and Presbyterian churches of Green Ridge Friday afternoon, Feb. 29, at the Presbyterian church in Green Ridge.

The following members of the Green Ridge Garden club drove to Windsor Tuesday evening where they were guests of the Windsor Garden club: Mrs. Wilford Acker, Mrs. M. Palmer, Mrs. Ida McLennor and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Helman. The program, which Martin Pashea of the Glendale-Rose Garden of Independence presented, was very interesting.

The following members of the Green Ridge chapter of the Order of Eastern Star attended a school of instruction of the 36th district, OES, at Warrensburg Tuesday, Feb. 19. The worthy matron, Nina Gordon, and worthy patron, J. A. Gordon, Mrs. Charles H. Ward, Mrs. G. D. Rayburn, Mrs. Alvina Lett, Mrs. George Spickert and Mrs. Roy Ragar.

Green Ridge Rebekah Lodge held its regular meeting Monday night, Feb. 19, at Bennett hall with Mrs. Ethel Whallon presiding. During the business meeting the members voted to give a contribution of \$5 to the Red Cross. The annual anniversary dinner and party of the Green Ridge Rebekah lodge was discussed and the date of Wednesday night, March 12, was set for the dinner and the Odd Fellows, and their wives and the Rebekahs and their husbands will be the guests.

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Fashion Previews Ice Blue And Topaz Popular

Fashion-wise women are re-questing the new "Topaz" and "Ice Blue" jewelry, says Mrs. Rose Goodheart, jewelry buyer.

Back from her recent trip, Mrs. Goodheart states: "The accent is towards massive earrings, pins and necklaces worn in matched sets with everyday dresses or suits. Since the crystal rhinestone jewelry is considered to be worn for formal occasions, the new colors, 'Ice Blue' and 'Topaz' are very popular now, especially in the long drop earrings."

Another item which has skyrocketed to popularity is the heavy "Medallion" necklace and bracelets, also, called "Heraldic" jewelry. Mrs. Goodheart says the demand for this style of jewelry is more among the younger set of high school and college ages.

After the meeting adjourned refreshments were served in the lunch room.

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Georgetown Clubbers Give to Three Funds

The Georgetown Homemakers met Feb. 20 at the home of Mrs. Emory Meyers with Mrs. George Curry and Mrs. R. Meredith assistant hostesses. A report on Farmer's Forum was given by Mrs. A. C. Runge. Mrs. Jennings spoke on "It's a Family Affair." Donations were given to the March of Dimes, Red Cross and the heart fund. Eleven members, four visitors and children were present.

Hostess at the next meeting will be Mrs. George Curry, Mrs. Valie Moore and Mrs. Charles Moore. A book review will be given.

L. Englebrecht Leaves Korea, Goes to Japan

By Mrs. Homer Howe

IONIA—Mrs. Lawrence Englebrecht of Kansas City is spending the weekend with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Englebrecht. Pvt. Englebrecht, who has been serving with the armed forces in Korea, is now in Japan.

Mrs. Charles Canaday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tinker, left Thursday morning for El Paso, Tex., where she will visit with her husband, Pvt. Charles Canaday. Mr. and Mrs. Tinker will return Sunday. Pvt. Canaday will receive a furlough the first of March and he and Mrs. Canaday will return then.

Vick Tinker is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Tinker, and Dennis Tinker is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Griffith, while their parents are at El Paso, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morrison and children of Carrollton and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Watkins of Bosworth visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Riecke.

Mrs. Ralph McCubbin of Windsor spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Neil. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lane and family and Patricia and Tony Lane of Kansas City visited over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wehrman. Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Spinar and children spent Sunday evening in the Wehrman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Neil and son, Dennis Ray, of Kansas City visited Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Neil. Neil and Mrs. Miles Neil returned home with them and visited with relatives in Kansas City, returning home Tuesday.

Junior Paul of Sedalia visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Wilborn.

Melvin Smith underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Windsor hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bruns and children of Cole Camp visited Friday evening in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Wienenberg. Mr. Wienenberg, who has been ill, is much improved.

The brother raisers in the Ionia community have formed a syndicate and have purchased the building known as the Williams store building from the Producers' Exchange and will store their feed in it.

J. L. Argenbright is ill at his home in Ionia.

Mrs. V. M. Wisdom, Jr., of Ionia is visiting with her father, O. Van Wey, and her sisters, Mrs. Ina Mouldin and Lorraine Van Wey. Mrs. Clarence Schabel of Sedalia was a dinner guest in the Van Wey home Wednesday.

Green Ridge PTA Hears History Of National Assn.

Green Ridge Parent-Teacher association observed Founder's Day, Feb. 15, with a program presented by the program chairman, Mrs. Loy Smith, who read a short history of the foundation of the first P. T. A. in 1890.

"Our Children's Welfare Rainbow," was presented

Two Persons Die In Wreck Near Tipton

Miss Barbara Simmers, 26, an employee of the Third National Bank, and Elbert C. Reed, 27, Auburn, Neb., were killed in a head-on collision of their automobiles, three miles east of Tipton on Highway 50, about 7:30 a.m. Saturday. Mrs. Reed, 26, and her son, Larry Reed, seven, are in a critical condition in the Latham Sanitarium in California.

Miss Simmers, who was a stenographer at the bank, was enroute back to Sedalia from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Simmers, north of Jamestown, headed west on the highway, while the other car, driven by Mrs. Reed, was enroute east.

According to Trooper H. E. Priess, of the State Highway Patrol, California, who investigated the accident, Miss Simmers had started to pass a gasoline transport truck, during a dense fog, and as she came alongside the truck the Reed car came from the opposite direction and the crash occurred.

Miss Simmers was alone in a 1949 Chevrolet coach which belonged to her father, while the Reed car, a 1940 Dodge sedan, contained Mr. and Mrs. Reed and their son. Both automobiles were demolished.

Miss Simmers, according to information received here, suffered a broken neck, while Reed suffered a broken neck and skull fracture.

Mrs. Reed received a severe injury to the left eye, shock, slight concussion, injury to the right knee and severe bruises. Her son suffered a concussion, possible skull fracture, bruises and shock.

Miss Simmers had spent Washington's birthday with her parents and was returning to her duties at the bank. Mr. and Mrs. Reed and son were enroute to Salem, Mo., where they were to visit Mrs. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dow Whitaker.

Besides Trooper Priess, Dr. Kenyon Latham, coroner, and Prosecuting Attorney John Kibbe, California, investigated the accident.

Miss Simmers, who resided at the home of Mrs. Alma Hausam, 510 Dal-Whi-Mo court, formerly was secretary in the office of Leo J. Harned, when he was prosecuting attorney, June 1, 1949, she went with the Third National Bank and has since been employed there.

Surviving her are her parents, whose home is north of Jamestown, Mo., and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kuhn, Prairie Home.

The body of Miss Simmers was taken to the Bowlin funeral home at California, and Mr. Reed's body was taken to the Richards funeral home at Tipton.

Bogutski Files For Re-Election

Michael "Mike" Bogutski, Pettis county prosecuting attorney filed for re-election Saturday with County Clerk James Green. Bogutski is seeking the Republican nomination subject to the primary election on Aug. 5.

Bogutski was first elected to the position in the November general election of 1950. He took over the office on Jan. 1, 1951.

He was born in Sedalia, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bogutski, who formerly resided at 1304 East Fourth and now live in St. Louis. Prior to moving to St. Louis with his parents, he attended the St. Patrick's grade school.

He received his high school education in St. Louis and attended the Washington university law school, from which he was graduated in the spring of 1949. In June 1949 he returned to Sedalia, and with Harold Bamberg, formerly the law firm of Bamberg and Bogutski.

Cadet Smith on Dean's List at Wentworth

Cadet Robert L. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Shearer, Helena, Mont., and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lexington, 1102 East Ninth, has qualified for the dean's honor roll for the first semester at Wentworth Military academy, Lexington, Maj. Dallas C. Buck, Wentworth dean, said only superior students qualify for the distinction. The honor cadets must have average grades in all subjects and top grades in at least two fields. No cadet may be considered for a major academic award until he has qualified for the dean's honor list.



AT LACKLAND BASE—Clarence R. "Sonny" Broyles, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Broyles, 1901 South Sneed, was enlisted in the Air Force Feb. 15 for a period of four years. Sonny was graduated from Smith-Cotton in the class of 1951 and was sent to Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Tex. (Photo by Lehmer.)



HEADS CANCER DRIVE—J. W. Watts, 1605 South Carr, was appointed county campaign chairman of the 1952 cancer campaign by Dr. George Diemer, president of Central Missouri State college, Warrensburg. Dr. Diemer is group campaign chairman of this district.

The cancer campaign will open April 1 and plans to seek a goal of \$3,500 in Pettis county as part of the national goal of \$16 million. The money will go to research service to patients and public professional education. This year more than ever individual contributions will help strike back at cancer which in Pettis county alone has claimed 57 lives.

REAL ESTATE

Transfers

William C. Middleton to William C. Patterson warranty deed to property on north side of Broadway between Warren and Limit avenues, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Vernon M. Warren and wife to Lorenz F. and Leilah B. Raabe warranty deed to tract of land in Dresden township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Edward Harman and wife to William W. and Faye Nicholas, warranty deed to five acres of land in Sedalia township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

William W. Nicholas and wife to B. J. and Nadine Shull warranty deed to five acres of land in Sedalia township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

George H. Martin and wife to George Martin, Jr., and Sara M. Martin warranty deed to 160 acres of land, more or less, in LaMonte township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Georgia V. Fairfax Chaney and husband and Jess E. Fairfax, Jr., and wife to Emmett W. Fairfax warranty deed to 100 acres of land, more or less, in Flat Creek township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Emmett W. Fairfax to Jesse M. Riley warranty deed to 18 acres of land, more or less, and 16 foot right of way, in Flat Creek township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Clyde B. Hunter and wife to D. F. and Susan P. Rhinehart warranty deed to 160.259 acres of land, more or less, in Houstonia township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Gardner E. Gouge and wife to Robert A. and Elizabeth Anne Hausam warranty deed to property on east side of Beacon avenue between 16th and 18th streets, \$1,000 and other consideration.

William J. Trout and wife to Thomas J. and Beulah M. Hancock warranty deed to tract of land, 562 feet by 774 feet, in Prairie township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Russell R. Overfelt and wife to V. M. and Bessie T. Warren warranty deed to property at northeast corner of Seventh street and Washington avenue, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Faye Spurluck to A. W. Spurluck quit claim deed to property at the northeast corner of Second street and Terrace and State Fair boulevard, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Clarence L. Crockett, single and Henrietta B. Crockett, single to Solon E. and Alberta Haynes and William H. Duncan, Jr., and Patricia Duncan warranty deed to tract of land in LaMonte township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Thomas T. Powell and wife to William F. and Roberta A. Barnes warranty deed to property at the northeast corner of 13th street and Montevau avenue, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Brinkley G. Lawrence to Emil G. and Laura Mabel Langley warranty deed to property at southeast corner of 20th and Warren avenues, \$1,000 and other consideration.

John R. Lyle and wife to Jesse E. and Barbara J. Fairfax warranty deed to property on south side of 10th street between Park and Stewart avenues, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Bertha F. Chulshah and husband to Florence T. Mulcahey quit claim deed to property on north side of Broadway between Vermont avenues, \$1,000.

George C. Mulcahey and wife to Florence T. Mulcahey quit claim deed to property on north side of Broadway between Vermont avenues, \$1,000.

Charles J. Mulcahey and wife to Florence T. Mulcahey quit claim deed to property on north side of Broadway between Vermont avenues, \$1,000.

L. W. Todd and wife to Leo W. and Betty J. Schultz warranty deed to property on east side of Heart street, west of the M-K-T railroad right of way, \$1,000.

Henry L. Schlotzhauer and wife to Claude M. and Emma Muse warranty deed to tract of land, 150 feet by 370.05 feet in Smithton township, lying on east side of the highway between Smithton, Missouri to U. S. highway 50, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Rollie Thomas and wife to Roy Zeb Thomas warranty deed to 50 acres of land in Houstonia township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Forrest J. Miller and wife to Edward P. and Earlene M. Lindemeyer warranty deed to property on south side of Walnut street between Hill and New York avenues, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Virgil E. Wills and wife to Frank

Sedalia Pilot Beats Storm Which Killed Combat Friend

WICHITA, Kas., Feb. 22.—(AP)—

Two Navy pilots—buddies in Korean combat—flew into a storm in northeast Kansas last night, enroute to the Olathe Naval Air Station.

They turned back, lost radio contact. Today farmers found the body of the senior officer, a lieutenant commander, in a wreckage strewn gully on a farm five miles southwest of Osage City.

The plane's wifelets were down as if for an emergency night landing. Civil Air Patrol headquarters at Wichita reported.

The plane had smashed into the small gully, about 200 yards south of a country road and not far from a farm home.

The farm family failed to hear the crash, GAP officers said. The plane smashed into bits, but did not burn.

Commander's Name Withheld

The name of the pilot was withheld until the commanding officer of his home base, the naval air station, San Diego, Calif., could get word to next of kin. The body was taken to Forbes Air Force base, at Topeka, Kas., nearby.

The second pilot—Lt. Ralph Corson, also from NAS, San Diego—made his way safely back over their night course, landing at Wichita. The two were flying single-engine AD-1 attack bombs.

ers, en route from Albuquerque to Olathe.

"Encountering weather" near Lebo, Kas., nearly 100 miles north-east of Wichita about 11 p.m., they reversed course for Wichita, Lt. Corson reported.

Lt. Corson—whose mother is Mrs. L. C. Corson of (1207 East 11th) Sedalia, Mo.—estimated the other pilot had fuel for 45 more minutes when they lost radio contact.

They had flown together two years in Korea, he told CAP officers, and returned to the states about six months ago.

Eighteen search planes were in the air over eastern Kansas when the wrecked plane was found.

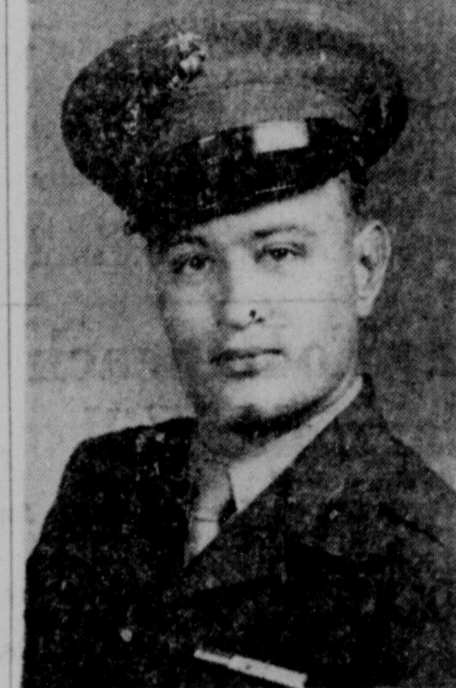
City Marshall Bill Washburn at Osage City said the plane was found by a neighbor, Elmer Bishop, on the Otto Kiefer farm. Sheriff Clyde Burns at Lyndon told CAP officers his first report came from another farmer, Kenneth James.

The two planes were within 60 miles of their northeast Kansas goal when they turned back. The crashed plane apparently still was turning when it struck, the CAP said.

Units of the 4th Air Rescue Squadron were en route from Hamilton AFB, Calif., and Lowry AFB, Denver, to Wichita when the air search ended.



ENLISTS IN ARMY—Vernon Leslie (Bones) Harvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Harvey, Sr., 508 East Walnut, Sedalia, enlisted in the Air Force Feb. 15 for four years. Vernon was sent to Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Tex., where he will receive eight weeks of basic training and further training for the type of work which he will do after completion of basic training. He graduated from Smith-Cotton in the class of 1949.



HOME FROM KOREA—Don L. Wymer of the First Medical Battalion, Company B, of the First Marine Division, son of Mrs. Mauril Wymer, 1324 West Fifth, arrived in San Francisco, Calif., Feb. 10 from Korea. He received his discharge Feb. 21 and arrived in Sedalia Friday morning. Don enlisted June 8, 1949 and served one year in Korea. (Photo by Lehmer.)

warranty deed to two acres of land in Heath's Creek township, \$1,000 and other consideration.

Barrick Enters Prosecutor Race

Harold W. Barrick, local attorney, has filed with County Clerk James Green for the Democratic nomination for Prosecuting Attorney of Pettis county. The nomination is subject to the primary election, Aug. 5.

Barrick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Barrick, 2505 East 12th. He received his education in the public schools of Sedalia and graduated from Smith-Cotton high school. He also attended and graduated from the University of Michigan law school in 1950. He returned to Sedalia in June of 1950 and took up the practice of law.

He served the unexpired term of the late Judge W. M. Ilgenitz as Pettis County Magistrate, made vacant by the death of Judge Ilgenitz. He was appointed by Gov. Forrest Smith.

He is a veteran of World War II having served in the U. S. Air Forces from Jan. 1943 until March 1946. He served 20 months in India from June, 1944 until March 1946 as a sergeant.

Barrick is married, his wife being the former Miss Lillian Rages, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rages of Hughesville.

Dr. Jack Gunn Hurt In An Auto Accident

Dr. Jack Gunn, Versailles, received slight knee injuries about 2 p.m. Friday when his car collided with a truck driven by Bunny Merriott of near Buncheon. The accident occurred on Morgan county road B about five miles south of Syracuse.

According to reports, Dr. Gunn was driving north and had started around another north-bound car when he collided with the southbound truck.

The truck driver was not hurt. The car was demolished and the truck received heavy damage.

Corney Wood, Morgan county sheriff, investigated the accident.

Granny Gives Youth Unusual Toy—A Bomb

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Feb. 23.—(AP)—Thirteen-year-old Danny Thompson's grandmother gave him a toy to play with—a bomb.

Sheriff's officers were called today to investigate the toy, a torpedo-like object 18 inches long with a pointed metal nose and a wooden body.

Sgt. James Richmond, demolition expert from Camp Carson, identified it as a practice bomb with a spotting charge. The fuse and explosive were intact, but the detonator was missing.

Danny's grandmother, Mrs. Anne Darrington, said she found it in the garage when she moved here a year ago, assuming it was a toy. She gave it to the youngster.

Danny's mother said, "it's been in and out of the toy box and Danny's even been driving nails into it."

New Otterville School Will Be Dedicated Sat.

The dedication ceremony of the new school building at Otterville will be combined with a homecoming service for all former students and graduates at the high school auditorium at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 1.

Dr. H. Pat Wardlaw, assistant state commissioner of education, Jefferson City, will deliver the address.

The old school building was completely destroyed by fire Oct. 28, 1949. The new building has 14 classrooms, a gymnasium-auditorium which will seat a crowd of approximately 600 for a basketball game, a modern kitchen, a lunchroom, commerce and music department. The home economics department is a new addition to the curriculum.

Recently people of the community purchased a new electric basketball score board. The PTA installed new curtains. The Garden club of Otterville has taken as its project the landscaping of the school campus.

The elementary and high school students are divided by having their class rooms in separate wings. The school has a frontage of 296 feet and is a one story structure. E. L. Seivers, Sedalia, was the contractor and Dan Sandford and sons, Springfield, and Kansas City were the architects.

Members of the school board are: Leo J. Smith, chairman; A. W. Wear, vice-president; Herbert Kuhn, secretary; J. H. Gunn, treasurer; Wade Burford, George Grose, Fred Page and Roy Decker. B. C. Harrison is superintendent and acting principal.

4 Persons Hurt In Auto Wreck Near LaMonte

Two persons were admitted to Bothwell hospital, and two more were injured less seriously in an automobile accident which occurred at about 11 a.m. Friday on highway 50 at the LaMonte junction.

A car driven by George Evans, 512 North Prospect, skidded on icy pavement and crashed into a filling station at the junction. The car was going west when the accident occurred. Evans was accompanied by his wife and son and by O. R. Cox, 1002 East Fifth.

Evans suffered chest injuries. Both were admitted to the hospital, where their condition was reported satisfactory, late Friday night. Cox suffered a cut on his leg and Evans' son suffered a wrenched back. Neither required hospitalization.

The injured were brought to Bothwell hospital by the Parker ambulance from LaMonte.

Dr. D. R. Edwards rendered medical attention.

Debts To Deposit Accounts In Sedalia Up 1 Pct. In Month

During December, debts to deposit accounts at banks in Sedalia, aggregated \$12,173,000, and were one per cent larger than those for the same month last year. These debit figures represent for the most part checks against depositors' accounts in payment of goods, services and debts, and are considered a good indicator of general business activity.

Tex Beneke's Band Here May 6 for 2nd Jaycee Spring Dance

J. L. "Jim" Van Wagner, Jr., president of the Sedalia Junior Chamber of Commerce, announced today that Tex Beneke and his 17-piece band will be featured at the Jaycees second annual spring dance, to be held Tuesday night, May 6, at Convention hall. The four-hour dance will start at 9 p.m. and end at 1 a.m.

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Returns from New York

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Mrs. Twyman Still Ill

Mrs. Elmer Twyman, 117 East Seventh, who was injured in a fall on South Ohio near Fifth, Dec. 22, is still confined to her home.



NOW IN ARMY—Foster McGuire, Knob Noster, enlisted in the U. S. Army Feb. 12 for a period of two years. Foster, as most people know him, played basketball for Central Business college, Sedalia, and also for Chillicothe Business college.

OBITUARY

Mrs. J. C. Griffin

Mrs. Beatrice Lurine Griffin, 308 West Sixth, wife of J. C. Griffin, treasurer of the Missouri Public Service Co., died at 1:50 Saturday afternoon at the Bothwell hospital. Although ill for many months she was seldom inactive until the past week when it was necessary for her to be hospitalized.

Mrs. Griffin was born in Sedalia Aug. 17, 1899, daughter of William T. and Georgia Beasmore, deceased. Her father was Missouri Pacific roundhouse foreman here until she had finished the eighth grade at Summit school, when the family moved to Jefferson City where she graduated from high school and was married February 24, 1919 to J. C. Griffin.

The Beasmores returned to Sedalia in March 1919 and lived at 319 East Seventh street. Mr. Beasmore died here in 1924, and Mrs. Beasmore in 1931. Mr. and Mrs. Griffin also came to Sedalia in 1920, when Mr. Griffin was transferred by the Missouri Pacific to become chief clerk in the Sedalia office. Next they moved to Independence but returned to Sedalia Feb. 15, 1924, when Mr. Griffin became associated with the old City Light and Traction Co., of which he later became secretary; and subsequently treasurer of the Missouri Public Service Co.

During Mrs. Griffin's residence in Sedalia she was a member of the Fifth street Methodist church, the Garden club, and the Helen C. Steele Music club. In these, as well as at the Red Cross, and other social life of the community, Mrs. Griffin became beloved by all with whom she came in contact. Despite illness in recent years, she was never complaining and cheerfully insisted upon conducting an active life.

Surviving Mrs. Griffin are her husband, and a brother, R. G. Beasmore, Little Rock, Ark. who, with Mrs. Beasmore, was summoned to Sedalia when Mrs. Griffin's condition became critical.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p.m. Monday at McLaughlin's funeral chapel. The sermon will be given by the Rev. Ralph Emerson Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, assisted by the Rev. Lee Soxman, pastor of the Fifth street Methodist church.

Pallbearers will be: Charles Wilson, Harold Dean, H. C. Feuers, Heber U. Hunt, Chester Wright, and J. W. Stephens, Lee's Summit.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mary K. Fisher

Mrs. Mary K. Fisher, 1701 West 16th, died at the Bothwell hospital at 11:30 a.m. Saturday.

She was born in Morgan county, the daughter of the late Frederick and Elizabeth Neitzert.

Mrs. Fisher is survived by: four children, Mrs. W. J. Waldorf, 1919 West Seventh, G. W. and O. F. Fisher, both of Wichita, Kas.; two sisters, Mrs. Lottie Wohlbeck, 1300 East Seventh, and Mrs. Frank Zumsteg of Otterville; five grand-children; seven great-grand-children and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, George F. Fisher, in 1927.

Pallbearers will be William H. Carl, Fred Brink, Fred Lange, Frank Gross, Murrell Hayden and W. F. Schwenk.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Monday at the McLaughlin chapel. The Rev. W. C. Bessmer, pastor of the Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church of which Mrs. Fisher was a member, will officiate.

The body is at the McLaughlin chapel.

George Smith Funeral

Funeral services for George Lee Smith, 1503 East Fourth, who died at his home at 7 p.m. Friday, will be held at 2 p.m. Monday at the McLaughlin chapel. The Rev. William Besmer officiating.

Mr. Smith was born in Otterville in 1886, the son of Andrew and Barbara Smith. He came to Sedalia at the age of three and was with the Missouri Pacific railroad 43 years. He was retired at the time of his death. He married Anna Donath Aug. 12, 1950. He was a member of the Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church.

He is survived by his wife and one granddaughter, Mrs. Donald Jones, Houston, Tex. His daughter, Mrs. Helen Crawford, passed away in 1948.

Pallbearers will be Gordon Potter, A. L. Pringle, George Robb, William Donath, Frank Royce, Sr., and Leonard Kroenke.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Carrie Smith Services

Funeral services for Mrs. Carrie Smith were held in the Neumeyer funeral home in Smithton at 2:30 p.m. Saturday. The Rev. M. E. Williamson officiated, assisted by the Rev. Earl Dillion.

Music was furnished by Mrs. S. C. Kahrs, Mrs. W. J. Holtzen, Mrs. William Green and Mrs. George Griffin, assisted by Miss Laura Kruse. They sang two songs, "In The Garden," and "Beyond The Sunset."

Pallbearers were Charles McBride, Edward Jaeger, Goldner Laetien, Walter Baxter, Elroy Lemke, and L. D. Hoehns. Burial was in the Smithton cemetery.

Homer Templeton Service

Funeral services for Homer Templeton, 40, route 2, Hughesville, who died at the Bothwell hospital Thursday morning, were held at the Ewing funeral home at 2 p.m. Saturday. The Rev. James R. Summers, Marshall, officiated.

Mrs. W. L. Lewis sang "Beyond the Sunset" and "Abide With Me," accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser at the organ.

Pallbearers were: Jesse McMullin, Herman McMullin, William Monsees, Edgar Jeffries, Major Whitmore and Gentry Richardson.

Burial was in the Memorial Park cemetery.

William Price Funeral

Funeral services for William "Wink" Price, a former Sedalian



GOES INTO ARMY—Robert V. Wright, son of Mrs. Albert S. Wright, 821 South Barrett, enlisted in the U. S. Army for a period of two years. Bob graduated in 1948 from Smith-Cotton and finished Central college, Fayette, where he majored in chemistry. He was sent to Camp Crowder, Mo., where he will be processed, given clothes and equipment and then sent to a training center for basic training in the one arm of the army.

Telephone Co. Doubles Staff At La Monte

In an effort to further improve telephone service at La Monte, Southwestern Bell Telephone company is doubling the number of operators there. Z. Lyle Brown, telephone company district manager at Sedalia, said today.

The increase in staff follows a move made recently in which Southwestern Bell took over operations of the La Monte exchange as part of telephone facilities expansion to serve the Sedalia Air Force Base.

Brown said that Mrs. Valetta Wharton will continue to serve as agency chief operator at La Monte. Mrs. Wharton is a native of La Monte and has served as agency chief operator since 1948.

New additions to the operating force are Mrs. Etta Harding, Miss Nellie Bowers and Miss Mildred Kindel. One of these operators will replace Mrs. O. B. Patton, who recently resigned.

Besides an increase in the number of operators, Southwestern Bell also plans to rebuild and modernize the exchange as soon as necessary material for work can be obtained, Brown said. This will depend upon government allocations of scarce supplies.

The La Monte telephone exchange transfer to Southwestern Bell was approved this month by the Missouri Public Service commission when it became evident the re-activated Sedalia Air Force base would require an extensive telephone system.

Mrs. Lutgen Has Operation

Mrs. C. R. Lutgen, 1906 South Washington, entered St. Mary's hospital, Kansas City, Feb. 14 and underwent a nose operation. On Feb. 18 she underwent a tonsillectomy. She is now at the home of her son, Kenneth Lutgen, Kansas City, and will be moved to her home the last of this week.

who recently died in Los Angeles, Calif., will be held Tuesday at 10 a.m. in Los Angeles.

Burial also will be in Los Angeles.

C. L. Wilson Services

Man Walks Into Side of Train, Suffers Injury

Paul Arrington, Houstonia, a former Sedalia resident, received severe lacerations of the scalp about 10:17 a.m. Thursday when he walked into the side of a slow moving Missouri-Kansas-Texas freight train at the Third street crossing.

Arrington was taken to the Bothwell hospital in McLaughlin's ambulance and Dr. D. R. Edwards rendered medical treatment. Dr. Edwards said the lacerations were severe and painful, but the condition of the man was not considered serious.

Maynard Jackson, 41, a friend of Arrington's who was with him when the accident occurred, told a reporter this afternoon that Arrington appeared to him as if he walked up toward the slow moving train, then suddenly turned sideways as if he was going to walk along the tracks and went into the side of the train.

Arrington, according to Jackson, was knocked down onto the pavement and barely missed being rolled beneath the wheels of the passing train.

Lloyd Lawrence, special agent for the M-K-T, said he rushed out to the man and approximately 15 freight cars passed by him after the accident. He said the car Arrington walked on was far back of the locomotive.

The train was southbound freight No. 77 with F. C. Burkheimer as conductor and W. C. Brown, engineer, both from New Franklin.

Here From Guam To Spend Day With Grandparents

Cpl. and Mrs. William Jacob and son, Michael William, three months old, arrived Wednesday evening from Guam to spend a day visiting with Mrs. Jacob's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Willis, 1011 South Osage. They are enroute to Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tex., where Cpl. Jacob has been transferred by the army after three years service on Guam.

They arrived in San Francisco last Saturday after a flight from Guam, and motored to Santa Barbara, Calif., where they visited with Mrs. Jacob's mother, Mrs. Mildred Shain, and her brother, Roger. They will go from Sedalia Friday to Kirkwood to spend the day visiting with relatives and from there will motor to New York to visit the parents and other relatives of Cpl. Jacob.

Mrs. Jacob, before her marriage was Miss Deloris Europe. Her father was the late William D. Shain, attorney, son of the late Judge and Mrs. Hopkins B. Shain of Sedalia. He was residing on Guam where he died about a year ago. At the time, Mrs. Jacob was in government service on the island.

Western Powers Test Russian Treaty Wants

LONDON, Feb. 28 (AP)—The Big Three Western powers arranged a diplomatic test today to determine whether Russia actually wants Austria to have an independence treaty. Russia's reaction may be a straw in the wind on the prospects for peace or war in Europe.

The United States, Britain and France said in a joint statement they are "urgently examining new proposals" to break a long deadlock between Russia and the West and honor the pledge made in the Moscow declaration of 1943 to restore to Austria her full freedom and independence.

Diplomatic informants said the Western powers plan to offer Russia a short and simplified treaty draft to replace the 53-article document which has been labored over the 258 meetings of the big four Deputy Foreign Ministers since World War II.

Attlee Admits Pact To Bomb Across Yalu

LONDON, Feb. 28 (AP)—Former prime minister Clement Attlee conceded today his Labor government had agreed with the U. S. to bomb Chinese Air Bases north of the Yalu river in Manchuria if they were used to launch heavy attacks on United Nations forces in Korea.

Attlee insisted this did not constitute a "departure from the general policy of confining operations to the Korean theater of war."

Prime Minister Churchill, denying in parliament Tuesday Labor charges he had made new commitments during his Washington talks with President Truman, revealed the hitherto secret agreement the previous Labor government had made on the Chinese bases.

Attlee's statement on the Labor commitment was released to newsmen today. It was apparently a move to prevent an open split in Labor's ranks after Churchill's disclosure.

Vultee To Build Interceptor
WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (AP)—The Air Force tonight gave Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corp. the go-ahead to build a new faster-than-sound interceptor plane.

The announcement did not refer to the new plane by name or number, but said it would be a "prototype." This means it will serve as a model for a new series of aircraft.

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OBITUARIES



Victor Hugo Winnberg

Victor Hugo Winnberg, 79, widely known retired railroad official, 1115 West Sixth, died at 6 p. m. Wednesday, Feb. 27, at the Bothwell hospital following a brief illness.

Mr. Winnberg was born April 11, 1873 in Kansas City and was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Caroline Hoover Winnberg, in May 1948 in Sedalia. He was a son of the late John and Charlotte Winnberg and his over 50 years in railroad service included positions at Jefferson City, Sedalia and Nevada. His employment with the Missouri Pacific was as general divisional foreman at the Sedalia roundhouse, from which he retired in 1942.

Mr. Winnberg was a member of Calvary Episcopal church, being an honorary member of the vestry; of Sedalia lodge No. 236 A. F. and A. M., St. Omar Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templar; Abou Ben Adhem temple, Shriner, Springfield, and at the time of his passing was a member of the Sedalia public library board serving his eighth year.

Surviving him are a daughter, Mrs. Thelma Winnberg Cook, and a granddaughter, Nancy Ruth Cook, of the home, and a sister, Mrs. David Axene, of Kansas City. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Friday at the McLaughlin funeral chapel, the Rev. Edward Sims, rector of Calvary Episcopal church, to officiate. Music will be by Mrs. James Atkinson and Mrs. Percy Metcalf.

Palbearers will be Harry W. Walch, Henry Salveter, Richard Sklar, George Dugan, James Atkinson and H. L. Netherland.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

The body was taken to the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

Thomas Cardwell
Thomas Cardwell, 83, a retired Missouri Pacific employe and several years ago a roundhouse foreman for the Missouri Pacific, died at noon Thursday at the Bothwell hospital. He had been a patient there since Saturday. His home was at 410 West Seventh where his widow resides.

Besides his wife, a daughter, Miss Ruth Cardwell, survives, her present address not being available immediately.

The body was taken to the Gillespie funeral home to await completion of funeral arrangements.

William R. Rider
William R. Rider, 77, died at the Bothwell hospital at 8:50 p. m. Thursday.

Mr. Rider was born at Spring Fork, Mo., Feb. 18, 1875, the son of the late George and Hannah Rider. He has lived all of his life in Pettis county, engaging in farming until his retirement.

He was a member of the First Christian church.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. W. R. Anthony, Kansas City, Mo., and one brother, Henry L. Rider, 1400 South Missouri.

Two nieces and three nephews also survive.

The body is at the Ewing Funeral home.

Mrs. Amelia Ott
Mrs. Amelia Ott, 73, widow of the late Charles W. Ott, Higginsville, who spent the greater portion of her life in Sedalia, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph (Jeanne) Halchak, 6639 Bellefontaine, Kansas City, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Ott was the daughter of the late Peter and Mary Brandt and resided a long term of years at 318 West Fifth before selling her home the past summer, since which time she had lived with her daughter and family.

Mrs. Ott was born Feb. 6, 1879 in Sedalia and was a member of the First Methodist church here. She received her education at the Sedalia schools and after marriage went to Higginsville, where she resided until Dr. Ott died several years ago. She then returned to Sedalia.

Surviving her besides the daughter named are two grandchildren, Joe and Jeanette Halchak, Kansas City, and a sister, Mrs. A. B. (Katherine) Stokoe, Mrs. Anna Fells, S. D. Other near relatives surviving include Raymond P. Brandt, Washington correspondent for the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, and Herman Demand, Evanston, Ill., nephews.

The body will be brought Thursday afternoon to Sedalia and will be at the Gillespie funeral home from 6 p. m. until funeral services are held at 3 p. m. Friday, the Rev. Roy Bowers, pastor of the First Methodist church, to officiate.

Miss Edmonia Swope
Miss Edmonia Swope, 73, died at her home, 11 miles north of Sedalia, at 10 p. m. Wednesday.

Miss Swope was the daughter of the late Jessie and Nancy Lower Swope. She was born June 1, 1879, and lived her entire life in that community.

She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. C. L. Wheeler of Hughesville and Mrs. P. M. Wheeler of LaMonte, and one brother, Lon Swope, of the home, several nieces and nephews. One sister, Mrs. Frank Williams, preceded her in death in 1923.

Miss Swope had been in failing health for sometime. A heart attack was the immediate cause of her death.

She had been a member of the

Duff Charges Many Attempt To Smear Ike

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (AP)—Senator James H. Duff of Pennsylvania said tonight "an immense amount" of money is being spent to discredit Gen. D. Eisenhower as a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination.

Appearing on a political program televised from Washington (WTMB), Duff displayed an anti-Eisenhower pamphlet which he called "the most scandalous un-Americanism I ever heard of."

He said it contained a caricature of Eisenhower being decorated by Stalin and bore the caption: "When an arch criminal decorates an individual, this individual must have served him well."

"There's no place in America for that kind of stuff," Duff said.

The Pennsylvania Republican, one of Eisenhower's staunchest supporters in the pre-convention campaigning, said he had seen the pamphlet all over the country, and that a great deal of money apparently had been spent to circulate it.

Duff said that kind of campaigning was "the same thing that rich people did in Germany to bring Hitler to power."

Duff said Eisenhower was the only Republican who is sure to win next fall, and that the time had come for politicians to give the people the man they want instead of jamming a candidate down their throats.

He said the GOP had been beaten five times with previous presidential candidates, and each time the party was sure the election was "in the bag."

Some people think any Republican can win in November, Duff said.

"That's the way we've gone down the drain five times before," he added. And if we learned anything from experience we ought to know that that's not true."

Longwood Presbyterian church since early childhood.

The body is at the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

The body will be taken at 5 p. m. Thursday to the family home and the funeral services will be held Friday at the Longwood Presbyterian church, the Rev. Robb to officiate. Mrs. Roy Taylor will be in charge of the music.

Palbearers will be Richard Lower, John Fowler, Frank Hieronymus, Eugene Greer, Chester Lower and Ed Callis.

Burial will be in Longwood cemetery.

Sebastian Sappington
Sebastian Sappington, 89, of 1240 Washington street, Kansas City, retired Washab railroad warehouse foreman, died Wednesday at the home.

Mr. Sappington was born in California, Mo., of an old Cole county family and moved to Kansas City when he was 18. He was a relative of Dr. John Sappington, pioneer Missouri physician credited with first using quinine in treating malaria. Dr. Sappington died 95 years ago.

Sebastian Sappington started as a warehouse clerk and spent more than forty of his fifty-one years with the railroad as warehouse foreman, many of them at the old Union depot at 1010 St. Louis avenue in the west bottoms. Mr. Sappington retired in 1937 and spent his remaining years reading at the public library and attending court trials. He had lived at the coming house at 1240 Washington for 27 years.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Thursday at the graveside in the Sappington cemetery on the old family homestead four and one-half miles south and west of California, Mo.

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"No, I thought she knew it," he replied.

Katy Women Form A Safety Council

Wives of M-K-T employes, of retired employes, widows of M-K-T employes and retired female employes met Thursday afternoon at the Katy passenger station here to organize a M-K-T Ladies' Safety Council.

The following officers were elected for this year: president, Mrs. Nelson Gibson; vice-president, Mrs. L. V. Dickson; advisor, Mrs. F. G. Buchanan; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. P. A. Brandenburg; and corresponding secretary, Mrs. June Morgan.

More than 50 persons attended the meeting.

Another Stride Taken Toward Collazo Death

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (AP)—Death in the today for Oscar Collazo, a little Puerto Rican fanatic who took part in the Nov. 1, 1950, attempt to assassinate President Truman.

The U. S. Court of Appeals unanimously upheld Collazo's conviction and death sentence.

The decision left only two possible avenues of escape open to Collazo—the supreme court and presidential clemency.

Interpreting The News Of LE Ballots Approve Strike

By J. M. ROBERTS, JR.
Associated Press News Analyst
Washington is denying any intention, as Russia charges, of making a separate peace treaty with Austria.

Instead, the Allies are launching a new effort to break the long stalemate for an over-all treaty including Russia.

The situation, however, seems closely akin to that regarding Germany prior to establishment of the Western German republic.

The Allies were slow to move, not wishing to formalize the split between Russian-occupied and Allied-occupied Germany. The military situation was a strong factor when a constitutional convention was finally called at Bonn and the facts of life recognized.

No separate peace has been made, and none is in the offing. But the new contractual arrangements now coming to a head amount to virtually the same thing. At least they represent an interim treaty.

Austria now is under nominal four power control just as Germany was prior to 1949. And it would be the same. The Russians exercise non-cooperative control over their zone, and have been stripping it of its resources and industrial production just as it does in Czechoslovakia and the other satellites.

East Austria is behind the iron curtain and contributes nothing to the overall national economy.

On the other hand, it is dependent upon Western Austria for its electric power and for that reason the Russians might be expected to make more of an effort than they did in Germany to prevent formal partition.

Observers in Vienna were inclined to think that one reason for the Allied move at this time was to test Moscow's overall intentions. If Russia causes a partition, it will be taken as an indication that she is now preparing for war in Europe. If she rejects the new proposals but keeps the long-standing treaty negotiations open, it will be taken as a sign of continued cold war, but not hot.

Russia, of course, will buck the Allied proposal for any treaty which would pull all occupation troops out of Austria. That was expected soon after the war. It had been agreed that Austria, having been captured by Hitler and used by him against her will, would be considered a non-belligerent. But Russia won central Europe and the Balkans to "guard" communications with her troops in Austria, and has used this license as a means of policing the other satellites. If her troops were out of Austria, it would give anti-Russian propagandists, and the satellite undergrounds in particular, a powerful weapon of popular resentment against continued Russian occupation of those countries. Not that it would matter much factually, since the local armies are now organized and administered practically as parts of the Red army. But it would be enough so that Russia is hardly likely ever to agree.

When the record on that is clear, the Allies will then have to do something about Western Austria much like they have about Western Germany.

Effort Under Way To Impeach Testimony In Harzfeld Will

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 28 (AP)—An attempt was made in Jackson county probate court today to impeach the testimony of a witness who repudiated her signature on a will left by Mrs. Florence Harzfeld.

Daniel S. Hillman, attorney for a will dated last Dec. 13, sought to show the witness, Mrs. Myrtle S. Harris, knew she was signing a will and not merely a "little paper" bequeathing one of Mrs. Harzfeld's rings.

Mrs. Harzfeld, 83-year-old widow of Sieg Harzfeld—founder of the store bearing his name, died Jan. 17. The will dated Dec. 13, 1951, was filed four days after the widow's death. An earlier document, dated June 24, 1950, was filed the following day.

The earlier will left most of the Harzfeld estate in trust for the University of Kansas City and five other institutions. The second will leaves the major portion of the estate to two nephews and a niece—Leslie Seidenbach, of Tulsa, Okla.; Carl Seidenbach, New York, and Mrs. Carrye Harz, Highland Park, Ill.

Testimony during the first two days of the will contest hearing, Feb. 7 to 9, was that Mrs. Harzfeld signed the second will during a bedside visit by Leslie Seidenbach.

Mrs. Harris, companion to Mrs. Harzfeld during her final illness, was one of the three witnesses to that will. She and another witness later refused to sign papers verifying their signatures, saying they believed the document to be only a transfer of a ring to Mrs. Clare Seidenbach, wife of Leslie Seidenbach.

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Middlebush Applauds Med School Decision

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 28 (AP)—President Frederick A. Middlebush of the University of Missouri said tonight he is "extremely gratified" by the state Senate's approval of a \$6,000,000 appropriation for a medical school.

He hailed it as a long step toward achieving a goal which he said the university has sought since 1920.

Middlebush made his statement here enroute to Washington, D. C. Gov. Forrest Smith told his press conference today in Jefferson City that Middlebush did not want a medical school for the university because it might take operating funds from other campus departments.

Middlebush said in his statement that through establishment of a four-year medical school the university could render a real service to the people of Missouri.

It had to go to make part of the room for the huge H-bomb plant that covers 35 square miles of South Carolina across the Savannah River near here.

A year and three months ago notice was given and March 1 is the deadline when every person and home has to be gone. What is left probably has to be destroyed.

All Ellenton's 600 people are gone and 80 of their 150 houses. They are among 6,000 persons similarly moved from the vast military area.

Ellenton's story is typical of them all. Even though this is probably the most carefully conducted of all evacuations.

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BoLE Ballots Approve Strike

Final Tally Next Week, But Danger Of Walkout Slim

WASHINGTON (AP)—President J. P. Shields of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers said today returns already tabulated in a nationwide strike vote indicated "overwhelming approval."

Shields said there is "no question" but that the final tally next week will show the union's members will have okayed a walkout on the railroads.

The carriers are under government seizure, however, which makes possible court injunctions to permit strikes and the danger of a walkout is considered slim.

However, the strike vote may prompt the White House to name an emergency board to hear the union's dispute with the carriers and recommend settlement terms.

Shields met with his union's wage and rules committee today to study the situation.

The engineers union, along with the Firemen's Brotherhood and Order of Railway Conductors, have been engaged in pushing similar demands on the railroads for nearly three years.

Recommendations handed down by emergency boards in the firemen and conductors cases have been rejected by those unions. The three unions have been in general agreement with the carriers for some time on wage boosts of 19 1/2 cents hourly for road employes and 34 cents hourly for yard employes.

Smith Found Guilty In Matt Jones Death

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 28 (AP)—Floyd Caesar Smith was convicted of first degree murder today in the slaying of Matt Jones, an important state witness against a former attorney.

A circuit court jury, which deliberated a little more than an hour, recommended the death penalty for the 34-year-old Negro.

Three other persons are charged with first degree murder in the case, including Alfred H. Osborne, Kansas City, who recently relinquished his license to practice law.

Jones, a former Jackson county courthouse janitor, disappeared last July 22, the day before he was to appear for the state in a contempt of court case against Osborne. His body, a cement block buried in the feet of chains, was found several days later in the Missouri river near Lexington.

No. 10507
Executor's Notice
Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Daniel V. Sims, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of February, 1952, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims are not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 23rd day of February, 1952.
GRACE ROBERTSON, Executor.

Attested by me this 23rd day of February, 1952.
A. M. HARLAN, Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Henry C. Salvester.
2-29, 3-7, 3-14, 3-21.

No. 10508
Administrator's Notice
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Edward Lee Wright, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of February, 1952, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims are not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 23rd day of February, 1952.
MARY M. WRIGHT, Administrator.

Attested by me this 23rd day of February, 1952.
A. M. HARLAN, Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Henry C. Salvester.
2-29, 3-7, 3-14, 3-21.

No. 10509
Executor's Notice
Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Harry E. Davis, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 20th day of February, 1952, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims are not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 20th day of February, 1952.
HELEN DAVIS, Executor.

Attested by me this 20th day of February, 1952.
A. M. HARLAN, Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Wm. F. Brown.
2-29, 3-7, 3-14, 3-21.

No. 10497
Executor's Notice
Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Minnie B. Cheesbrough, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 8th day of February, 1952, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

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This 5th day of February, 1952.
HENRY C. SALVESTER, Executor.

Attested by me this 5th day of February, 1952.
A. M. HARLAN, Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Henry C. Salvester.
2-8, 2-15, 2-22, 2-29.

No. 10498
Administrator's Notice
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Jerome Kopp Smith, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 8th day of February, 1952, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

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This 8th day of February, 1952.
PAUL J. SMITH, Administrator.

Attested by me this 8th day of February, 1952.
A. M. HARLAN, Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: H. D. Dow.
2-15, 2-22, 2-29, 3-7.

No. 10499
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This 5th day of February, 1952.
J. H. BROOKS, Executor.

Attested by me this 8th day of February, 1952.
A. M. HARLAN, Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Henry C. Salvester.
2-15, 2-22, 2-29, 3-7.

Library Will Close During Winnberg Funeral

The public library will be closed during the funeral services of Victor H. Winnberg at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Mr. Winnberg had been a member of the library board for the past several years.

2-29, 3-7, 3-14, 3-21

IN THE PROBATE COURT

STATE OF MISSOURI

(SS.

COUNTY OF PETTIS)

Be it remembered, that on the 26th day of February, 1952, the estate being a regular day of the February Term, thereof, of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court and entered of record, to-wit:

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